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SUSPICIOUS ACTIONS BY MEXICO

A Mission From Mexico on Way to Japan to Buy Arms and Ammunition, and to Arrange a Treaty

(By Associated Press)
A Pacific Port, Jan. 12.—A Japanese steamship carrying a mission sent by President Carranza of Mexico to Japan for the alleged purpose of negotiating a treaty between the two countries, and also for arranging for the purchase by Mexico of arms and ammunition from Japan, has arrived in port here, according to a local newspaper.

YORK MAIL CAR PLUNGES INTO SEA

Five Men Aboard Struggle in Water As Car Goes Through Bridge--All Saved

The morning trip of the York Beach mail car over the P. K. and Y. line this morning will go down as "some trip," as the employees remarked this noon. At 11 o'clock the car was bowling along on a straightway when Braebot Harbor bridge was sighted. Motorman Mitchell remarked to Supt. Sturtevant, who was a passenger, about the high tide and before the superintendent could reply he found himself and companions struggling in the icy waters of the harbor. The big mail car plunged through the bridge and into the harbor before the occupants had a chance to think. In the car was also Attorney Arthur E. Sewall of Portsmouth, Mail Messenger M. M. Fitzgerald, Motorman George Mitchell and Conductor E. P. Clough. All the occupants escaped injury with the exception of the mail messenger, who received slight bruises. The car fell quite a distance and the five occupants were soon struggling to free themselves. The accident to the mail car was an exciting time for a few minutes. The men were in addition to being dashed through the bridge plunged into the icy water. They had to walk a mile to the nearest house where they got warm and changed clothing.

WANT CULLEN AND BARRETT TO PULL OUT

Politicians Planning to Spring New Candidate on Board of Public Works.

Since the organization of the Board of Public Works and the failure to elect a new superintendent has led to another move on the part of Democratic leaders with hopes of landing one of the party other than James W. Barrett and Gerald A. Cullen, who have twice failed of appointment owing to the Democratic members of the Board being divided. It is understood that this movement is made to bring the above named candidates together and have them agree to pull out. Unless something unlooked for happens the hats of both Barrett and Cullen will remain in the ring a while longer. Unless Barry, the Republican member of the Board, looks up with one or the other of the Democrats, Supt. Hodgdon will be a hold-over for a while.

KITTERY PARTIES APPEAR BEFORE COMMISSION

Want Damages for Trees Cut at Fernald's and Spinney's Crossings.

Albert W. Moulton and Alfred Sterling of Kittery appeared before Commissioners Skelton and Barker of the Maine Public Utilities at Biddeford on Friday to be heard on their petitions for damages caused by the selectmen in Kittery and Ellsworth in ordering the cutting of trees on their land in order to make the approach of grade crossings clear. Mr. Sterling claims \$250 for the damage at Spinney's Crossing, Elliot, and Mr. Moulton seeks to recover the sum of \$125 for damage at Fernald's Crossing, Kittery. After both were heard the commissioners announced that they would render a decision as early as possible. Is this the January thaw?

SIXTEEN DEAD TOLL OF STORM IN SOUTH

Snow, Sleet and Tornadoes Sweep Through Entire South, Paralyzing Wire and Rail Communication--Over One Hundred Hurt

(By Associated Press)
Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 12.—With the entire south in the grip of its first snow and sleet storm of the winter today, early reports showed that tornadoes which swept through eastern Alabama and central Georgia had taken a toll of 16 lives, an injured more than 100 persons. Wire communication is paralyzed and railroad traffic hampered and many tents were blown down at Camp Wheeler at Macon, Ga. and Camp Sheridan at Montgomery, Ala. At Camp Wheeler, Private Harris of Atlanta was reported killed in the collapse of a corral.

COUNCIL MAY GRANT SMALL A RESPITE

Belief is Expressed That Gov. Keyes' Council Will Grant Wife Slayer, Sentenced to Be Hanged Tuesday, a Little Longer Time to Live

(By Associated Press)
Ossipee, Jan. 12.—Chief Justice Kivel of the superior court today dismissed a petition for a new trial asked for by Frederick L. Small, sentenced to be hanged Tuesday at Concord for the murder of his wife. Formal notification of the court's action was sent to the clerk of court of Carroll here where Small was convicted a year ago. The supreme court in December refused to interfere with the verdict on exceptions filed by the defense. The motion for a new trial argued on Friday before Justice Kivel was based on the ground that one of the jurors is alleged to have declared after the verdict was rendered that he knew Small was guilty before he heard any of the testimony, and that nothing brought out in court was calculated to change his opinion. The belief was expressed by court officials today that the governor's council which meets at Concord Monday probably would grant a respite of 15 or 30 days.

BRITISH DESTROYER FOUNDERS

The Racoon, of 915 Tons, Struck on Rocks Off Irish Coast on Wednesday No News of Crew

(By Associated Press)
London, Jan. 12.—The British destroyer Racoon struck on the rocks of the Irish coast on Friday and foundered. It was officially announced by the Admiralty today. The Racoon was built in 1910 and displaced 915 tons. Her normal displacement was 105 men. The dispatch did not state whether any of the crew of the destroyer were lost or not.

LAST MAN REPORTED.

The last of the 60 coast guard men from the Great Lakes stations who are to do duty on the Atlantic coast stations during the remainder of the winter, reported to Capt. S. H. Sands, superintendent of the district.

THIRTEEN BURNED TO DEATH

(By Associated Press)
Muskegon, Okla., Jan. 12.—Thirteen Indian boys were burned to death today in a fire which destroyed the boys' dormitory of the Dwight Indian Training school at Marbel City. Over one hundred of the boys escaped scantly clad. The morning workmen's cars from Nye were a half hour late this morning.

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Wharves and Landings at Kittery Point Carried Away.

The highest tide known for years was recorded today and a great amount of damage was done. The landings at the Hotel Parkfield, Kittery and various summer houses are afloat. The power plant of the P. D. & Y. Street Railway and car barn are inundated. Various wharves at the South End are submerged. General Manager Nelson of the line found it impossible to get cars into the barn today and his repair shop was afloat. The damage along the Kittery shore will amount to considerable.

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KILLS FATHER FOR CHASTISING HER SISTER

Southington, Conn., Jan. 12.—James Harrison, a negro, was shot and killed by his daughter Phoebe, aged 16, while attempting to chastise an older daughter, Dorothy, early today. Coroner Calhoun will make an inquiry into the shooting and pending his decision Phoebe is under arrest.

CAMP DEVENS MAN DIES OF PNEUMONIA

(By Associated Press)
Ayer, Jan. 12.—Henry Cummings of Taunton, Mass., a member of Company F, 302 Infantry at Camp Devens, died at the base hospital here today of pneumonia.

A MOST UNEXPECTED SALE OF GOSSARD CORSETS

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FOOD SITUATION CRITICAL IN AUSTRIA

(By Associated Press)

London, Jan. 12.—The food situation in Austria, notably in Bohemia, is at present more critical than at any previous period of the war, according to letters which have been received by people here, after evading the Austrian censorship.

Bohemia, both owing to her geographical situation and the concentration of her population in the industrial districts has always been dependent on outside assistance as far as her food supply is concerned.

"You can't conceive what a desperate plight we are in," says one letter, "and it will be even worse as winter comes on, for there has been no harvest to speak of. Owing to the drought everything has been buried up; there is no wheat and soon there will be no potatoes. Nobody sees how we can endure another winter. Even the peasant farmers have not enough for themselves. There is practically no meat; you can perhaps buy a scrap once a week after standing for four hours in line. There are strikes and demonstrations everywhere, but the newspapers are not allowed to say anything about them."

Another letter says: "The rations per head are now—Bread, 2 pounds weekly; flour, for married people only, 1 pound weekly; potatoes, one pound weekly; sugar, 1-2 pound weekly. But in reality it is practically impossible to obtain one's full allowance of everything. Food is issued on Fridays and Saturdays once a week, but it frequently happens that those who have finished their ration stop soon, or who have no money to procure something by underground means, die of starvation on Thursday. The management of the food bureau attempts to satisfy our appetites by providing the most terrible bread, the mere sight of which often upsets the starving stomach."

"It is true we have the much-touted soup kitchens, which provide a mid-day meal. But the meat is no longer anything nourishing, but only water containing beet, clover and turnips. The war vegetables are occasionally supplemented with horse meat when things are going badly on the front. Thus when the Italian offensives were going badly against us many wagon-loads of dead horses were brought to the factory kitchens to be made into soup. These kitchens supply the invalid soldiers, and also the foreign workmen, the latter mostly Poles."

"Whenever a report came in that the Italians were winning there was great rejoicing among these slaves at the prospect of getting meat soup. These wretched creatures who are conscripted for work in the mines and factories are literally slaves. Not only is there personal liberty restricted, but corporal punishments are inflicted for the slightest report of the offender is flogged and, if necessary, just a convict as a mark of humiliation."

"A good many men may still be seen

BACKACHE KILLS!

Don't make the fatal mistake of neglecting what may seem to be a "slight little backache." There isn't any such thing. It may be the first warning that your kidneys are not working properly, and throwing off the poisons as they should. If this is the case, go after the cause of that backache and do it quickly, or you may find yourself in the grip of an incurable disease.

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In the industrial towns, but there are absolutely none in the villages. A few sons of rich landowners have been able to escape military service by suddenly becoming indispensable to some mine or factory. There are very few soldiers left at home now, although there were plenty last March. The end is at hand."

Corroborative evidence of this critical situation in Bohemia is found in several more official sources. In the Austrian Budget committee, the deputy M. Zenker, declared that the shortage of flour and bread was almost complete. "If the government really desires to continue the war," he said, "it will have to take some urgent measures. We will afterwards have something to say about Hungary, which would be well advised to give way and let us have some of our stored-up food if she does not want to see a current of overwhelming opinion also against Budapest to the greatest detriment of the Dual Monarchy."

GERMANY IN DANGER OF COLLAPSE

Amsterdam, Jan. 11.—Germany was never in such danger of collapse from internal and external difficulties as at present, says the correspondent in Germany of the T.H.D. In an analysis of the existing situation. The political struggle concentrated around Foreign Secretary Von Kuchemann has been reflected in violent scenes in the main committee of the Reichstag. Public action of the Socialist minority cannot longer be resisted and even should militarism gain a temporary victory the correspondent thinks reaction will follow quickly.

Russia's example is said already to have infected popular and military circles. The food question, national mourning, the dislocation of industry, the growing desire for peace and fear of a new offensive on the west, threaten to lead to a tragic phase if the negotiations at Brest-Litovsk fail, and in that case a domestic explosion is inevitable.

NEW JEWISH BATTALION IN TRAINING

(By Associated Press)

London, Jan. 12.—The new Jewish battalion of the British army is now encamped for its final training period on a hillside in the west of England. Early in the new year it will leave for the Palestine front.

The battalion is under the command of Colonel J. H. Patterson, a well known Irishman. His experience in command of Jewish troops dates back to the Gallipoli campaign, when he was in charge of the famous Zion Mule Corps, formed in Egypt of Jewish refugees from Palestine. After the close of the Dardanelles campaign, the Zion corps was disbanded, but a number of the members managed to make their way to England and form the nucleus of the new Jewish battalion.

BATTLESHIP TOWS COAL INTO PORT

Washington, Jan. 11.—Battleships and transatlantic carriers will be employed to break up transportation congestion and to rush coal to districts where there is danger of serious shortage.

The first step was accomplished successfully today when a large battleship loaned by the navy department smashed its way through the three feet of ice in Baltimore harbor and proceeded down the bay with fifteen ships and barges loaded with coal, which it had released. The big vessel had a hard struggle at first and there was fear that it might become blocked by the ice. Today, however, it smashed its sharp prow through the channel and opened up a path.

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If you want local news, and reliable telegraph news, you must read The Herald.

PUT FRENCH LOCOMOTIVES INTO SERVICE

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Jan. 12.—Locomotives built in this country for use in France and taken temporarily to help relieve the freight congestion in the East, have been put into service. In making this announcement today, Director General McArdoo said that within a few weeks many locomotives built for Russia and commandeered also would be ready for use. "It was necessary to change their gauge for operation on American roads."

Within the past few weeks more than 100 locomotives have been transferred to Eastern roads by those in the South and West, and with this augmentation of motive power it is expected that rapid strides will be made in clearing the great mass of freight that has piled up in Eastern territory.

The War Conference Board, composed of Cabinet officers in the Council of National Defense, the Food and Fuel Administrators, and the Chairman of the War Industries Board, conferred with Mr. McArdoo yesterday about the development of water transportation as a means of easing the burden on the railroads.

The board told the director general that additional transportation facilities are needed for the New York State barge canal, the large routes in New England, the lower Mississippi, the Ohio and the Black Warrior river in Alabama and urged use of part of the \$500,000,000 provided in the pending railroad bill for constructing barges, towboats, elevators and terminals.

It was announced that educational work which has been done by the Department of Commerce will be discontinued to permit the centralization of waterways development activities under the director-general of railroads. Possible reduction in the number of railroad employees under government operation was touched upon at the House Interstate Commerce Committee's hearing on the Administration's railway bill.

Julius Kruttschnitt, chairman of the board of the Southern Pacific, who said he spoke for the American Railway Association, voiced serious objection to any pruning of lists of employees on the ground that it would seriously affect the organization of the lines and mean disarrangement when the properties are turned back to their owners after the war.

Chairman Sims asked about the feasibility of eliminating some of the soldiers employed by the roads, particularly those whose duties are to seek passenger business. Mr. Kruttschnitt said the men who solicit passenger business also look after freight, and therefore he did not believe any considerable number of them could be dispensed with.

Some of the twenty-one passenger trains running between Omaha and Chicago, the witness thought, could be taken off and the men engaged on them given employment in the freight service. He was opposed, however, to any changes that would throw men out of employment.

Before the Senate committee on Interstate Commerce, Commissioner Anderson estimated that maturities of railroad securities in 1918 and 1919 would amount to \$150,000,000. It was not to be assumed that the government was to take care of this, he said, but the "revolving fund" of \$500,000,000 provided in the bill was to cover financing that might be necessary.

MAY SELL AT COST UNIFORMS TO OFFICERS

Washington, Jan. 12.—The war department is considering the advisability of selling uniforms to officers at cost, Senator Jones of Washington, told the senate Friday in urging early consideration of his bill, which provides that the department shall furnish all equipment to officers at cost. The Washington senator urged that the government should commandeer the stocks of all private concerns handling officers' equipment.

EXETER

Exeter, Jan. 12.—The first political moves of the year were made here Friday when five men announced themselves as candidates for the constitutional convention, which is to be held in June. The caucus for nomination will be held on Feb. 5, and the election on March 12 at the annual town meeting. The announced candidates are four lawyers, John Seamon, former councillor; Arthur O. Fuller, Richard B. Shute and Ernest C. Templeton, while the fifth is Charles S. Bates, proprietor of the Bates Shoe factory. All are Republicans, and well known residents.

Funeral services of Charles H. Palmer, the oldest member of the Sagamore lodge, I. O. O. F., were held Friday morning at the home on Water street conducted by Rev. Dr. S. H. Dana, pastor of the Phillips church. Mr. Palmer was a life-long resident of Exeter, and early learned the carpenter's trade. For a time he worked in Lynn, Mass., and while there had the misfortune to fall from a roof, causing an injury

which made him lame for life. For many years he conducted a picture framing shop on Water street. The bearers were Frank N. Graves, Joseph Stocks, Newell S. Tilton and Percy Lane. The body was placed in the receiving tomb. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker O. H. Fleming. James Ready of Newmarket was taken to the Exeter Cottage hospital Friday for treatment for pneumonia.

Mrs. Annie B. Randolph has made a second gift of \$100 to the Sagamore lodge, I. O. O. F., to be known as the George O. Dearborn fund, in memory of her father.

With the passing of Richmond's express, one of the oldest firms in Exeter dissolved business. It was at one time Perkins' express, and was established in the early days of the Boston and Maine railroad, doing an express business between this town and Boston.

R. O. Plinkham, United States revenue deputy collector of income taxes was at the Union Five Cent Savings bank Friday, and will return again on Jan. 21, for the purpose of receiving taxes, and giving information.

Clarence A. Amazeen was the victim of an accident Friday morning while at work cutting limbs from a tree on Main street, for Highway Agent C. C. Hayes. A heavy limb fell, and struck him on the foot, severely injuring his toes.

Chief of Police Bunker has begun to clean up the automobilists who are running their machines on last year's licenses.

Rev. James P. Harper of Boston will be the preacher at the First Congregational church, Sunday morning.

WAS DRUMMER BOY IN THE CIVIL WAR

Nashua, Jan. 12.—George W. Moody, who was drummer boy in the Civil war, died Friday at St. Joseph's hospital, following a two year illness. He was born in Claremont and was 72 years of age. He was a member of the 5th New Hampshire Regiment, being drummer boy at the age of 19; and for many years following his coming to Nashua was a member of the old time famous Moody Brothers Drum Corps, a popular organization in the 30's. Following the war he came to Nashua and for a quarter of a century was connected with the Moody, Estabrook and Anderson shoe shop. He retired several years ago. He was a lovely man with many friends. He was a member of John G. Foster Post, G. A. R. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Fred G. S. Teal of Hudson, two brothers, W. H. H. Moody of Claremont, long a Nashua resident, and M. H. Moody of Aurora, Ill., and two sisters, Mrs. G. B. Anderson, Nashua, and Mrs. A. J. Sherman of Fitchburg, Mass.

ANOTHER COLD WAVE IS COMING

Washington, Jan. 12.—A cold wave equal in severity to that of a week ago was approaching the east tonight from the west where below zero temperatures prevail. Lowering temperatures tomorrow will be accompanied by rain and high winds in the middle Atlantic district, followed by general snow Saturday night or Sunday and increasingly cold weather.

A storm of considerable intensity precedes the cold, being central tonight over eastern Tennessee and moving toward the coast. It was anticipated today by snow in southern states from the Mississippi to the Carolinas and Virginia.

BIG TRANSFER AT CAMP DEVENS

Ayer, Mass., Jan. 12.—Sixteen hundred and fifty men in the depot brigade at Camp Devens will be transferred next Monday to various regiments battalions and trains in the cantonment, according to reorganization orders for the 75th national army division issued Friday.

Among officers here the announcement is taken as a meaning that the division as a whole is not likely to see foreign service in the near future and that instead it will be a filling division, having various parts of its strength transferred from time to time to supply the needs of other units. Already from 10,000 to 12,000 of the selected men of the division have been sent abroad or to other divisions of the national army now in training in the country.

It is pointed out that the division

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cannot be built up to war strength with first draft quotas even with the transfers next Monday and the arrival of the 4000 or 5000 men of the final 15 per cent of the draft.

In the reorganization plan, depot brigade men from a given section will be transferred as far as possible to units of selected men from the same section. Boston men will be sent to the 301st infantry, and Maine and New Hampshire men to the 303d artillery.

Each company of the depot brigade will be reduced by the transfer to a total of 66 men and officers who will immediately begin preparations for training the quotas of the second draft.

DR. COOK BANQUETS DIS. DRAFT BOARD

Concord, Jan. 11.—Dr. George Cook, chairman of the district draft board gave the members of the board a banquet today at 1 o'clock at Nardall's. Guests of honor were Governor Henry W. Keyes and Adjutant General Elias Howard. It was a seven course dinner and it came on a day when nine hours' work had been accomplished. In attendance were Edmund Sullivan, Berling, Richard Conroy, Portsmouth; Sydney D. Rollins, Samuel O. Titus, Rollinsford; Arthur H. Chase, clerk of the board.

The board will meet each week on Friday.

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(By Associated Press)

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NEW ENGLAND COAL SITUATION IS SERIOUS

Boston Has Only Coal To Last Until Tuesday.

(By Associated Press)
Boston, Jan. 11.—With only coal enough to last until Monday or Tuesday the city is near the danger of which Mr. Storow has been fighting against for months. With munition factory making war material, shut down, and the Springfield Armory in momentary expectation of a shut down, the situation is grave in the extreme. If coal cannot be furnished for the city pumping works the city will be without water and will be open to a fire hazard, the danger of which cannot be foretold. The gas plant cannot continue without stock of coal which is impossible to obtain. The fuel administration will at once examine all stocks of coal both private and business concerns. If the survey shows that coal is held beyond reasonable stock necessary for the present, coal will be confiscated and redistributed. Since James J. Storow's 10 o'clock closing order was announced many persons, representing various industries, have called at the office of the fuel administration to ascertain what power the administration has to enforce the ruling, and the nature of the punishment to be imposed upon violators. One man, whose case is typical of many others, was told by A. B. Cobb

today that his business came under the "D" to "E" classification. He expressed his desire to comply with the closing order, but inquired just what would be done if he did not. Administrator Cobb answered that the fuel board could refuse to supply him with coal, could shut off his lights and further than this, as an emergency measure, could take away the coal he has on hand. The business man before leaving, assured the administrator that he would make no attempt to evade the law. A phase of the new ruling that affects hundreds of business houses will be explained within a short time in a formal statement to be made by the head of the fuel administration. It deals with employers who are wondering if they will be able to have the help of their employees outside the hours prescribed. "Our idea is not to regulate labor conditions or bring about an 8-hour day," said Cobb today. "It is rather a plan to conserve coal. If employers have occasion to need the help of their workmen before 9 or after 5 on such work, for example, as taking stock or checking up accounts, they have a right to do so, providing they do not violate the law. But they must not be open for business. Our ruling allows light sufficient to insure the safety of employees. We do not demand that a store be in total darkness."

MECHANICS FORM NEW ORGANIZATION

At the L. O. O. M. hall last evening, about thirty of the Navy Yard and Portsmouth mechanics met to form an organization that is broader in scope and more genuinely helpful to all men in the metal trades, than a single union could be.

The idea of the organization, called the Metal Trades Union, an international organization that has locals in about all the Government navy yards,

ship yards and war work plants, is to bring all workers in metal under one huge organization for the benefit of the members and to prevent the various small locals and unions from working at cross purposes. The Metal Trades Council is under the jurisdiction of the American Federation of Labor. The following trades are included: Blacksmiths, boiler-makers, electrical workers, engineers, machinists, metal patterners, molders, pattern maker, plumbers, sheet metal workers and stove mounters. The reasons given for the organization are many and varied but logically and should be of value to the mechanics listed above. The keynote is to promote harmony

between the various locals, to aid weak unions by giving them the chance to affiliate with an organization that is national in scope and also in small places where only a few men of each trade are employed, and without unions to all come in under one head. Officers pro tem were elected as follows: President, H. L. Hartford, machinist; Secretary, Ed. J. Clark, boiler-maker. Organizing committee, Fred S. Pray, chairman, pattern-maker; W. T. Burrows, sheet metal worker; Geo. A. Cates, pipe-fitter and plumber, all working at the navy yard. The meeting adjourned to Jan. 25th when officers for the year will be elected and further plans will be mapped out. A mass meeting to give the various trades a chance to learn the advantages to be derived from the metal trades council, with a prominent labor leader speaking is planned for sometime the first of February.

BOWLING

The Arcade Alleys

The pattern makers enjoyed a social evening defeating the salimakers by 127 pins. The losers reported in the last string piling up 426 but the pattern-makers had the game on ice. The score:

Patternmakers.			
Nickelson	67	83	85-240
Mettello	85	77	78-241
Coulter	94	83	78-265
Von Han	80	76	78-235
Cressey	78	85	88-247
405 417 400 1228			

Sailmakers

Hobbs	72	75	87-234
Reimer	74	77	81-239
Schneider	74	78	100-261
Davis	61	65	60-192
Carter	60	67	86-213
348 365 426 1099			

Hogan's Alleys

The Sagamore Engine Co. bowling team escaped with a victory and that all, when they met Kearsarge Engine Co. last evening. The first string Sagamores garnered by 2 very small pins, the second was tied and the third was theirs by four pins. The audience almost had heart failure several times. The small scores were due to new pins being used. The scores:

Sagamore No. 1			
O'Brien	80	66	72-218
Quirk	74	78	82-234
Leary	65	67	74-206
Hoffman	81	50	80-261
Kelley	80	77	94-251
380 378 402 1160			

Kearsarge Engine No. 3.

Miles	71	71	79-221
Miller	72	66	71-209
Varell	87	78	81-246
Haddock	74	75	82-221
Woods	74	88	85-247
378 378 398 1151			

SPORT NOTES

New York, Jan. 11.—When the players who actually participate in the world series of 1918 came to divide their share of the gate receipts of that baseball classic they will realize that financially at least, the series is not what it once was.

In recent years the pennant winning club in each league had been represented by approximately 24 players who shared among them the 60 per cent and forty per cent of the players pool, which has been divided on that basis to the winners and the losers. As a result a sum which in the past five years has averaged \$143,565 per annum has been divided among 45 players.

In the future close to two hundred players will receive a portion of the players pool. Under this system the days of large individual gains by the members of the world championship teams are a thing of the past.

According to the agreement just made by the two major leagues the players of the two competing teams will receive sixty per cent of the gate receipts of the first four games as in the past. Instead of sharing this sum on a 60 and 40 basis, each player in the winning team will receive a lump sum of \$2000 and the members of the losing club \$1400 each.

After the total of these individual prize monies has been deducted from the players' share the remainder will be divided among the players composing the clubs finishing second, third and fourth in both the national and American league pennant races. The basis of this division has not as yet been announced but it is generally expected to be 60 per cent to the second club, 20 to the third, and 20 to the fourth team in each league.

With these figures to work on as foundation for figuring it is possible to gauge with reasonable accuracy what the proceeds will be in the future as compared with the large sums which annually fall to the share of the players who figured in the climax of the baseball season.

Estimates based upon the world series figures of the past five years, show that the average amount which went to the winning and losing players was \$143,565. The records also show that the average number of players on the two winning clubs was 24. This makes the average amount to each player of the winning team in the vicinity of \$3,698, while the individual share to the members of the losing teams has been \$2,592. Against these figures the winning players will receive \$2000 and the losing players

\$1400 in the future. Carrying the analysis further it will be found that the prize money to be awarded to the actual series players in the future will approximate \$31,600. Using the previous mentioned average again, the difference between this sum and what the two teams divided in the past, amounts to \$61,955. This \$61,955 is the amount to be divided among the players of the second, third and fourth clubs in each league at the end of the season.

If the average number of players is assumed to be the same as on the pennant winning clubs this would mean that the forty eight players of the 2 second position clubs would receive fifty per cent of the \$61,955 or about \$616 each. The third place club players on the thirty per cent basis would receive \$337 and the fourth position club players \$258 each.

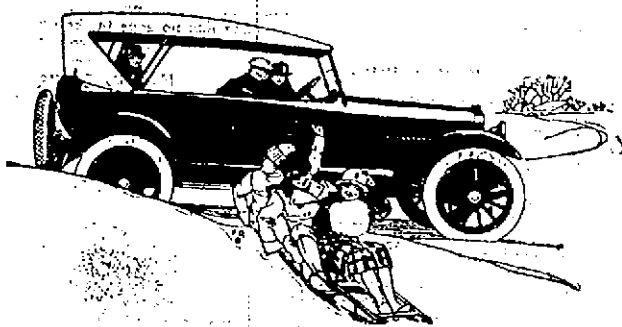
To put it in other words, instead of the players of the two series clubs amounting to 48 in all, dividing \$143,565 on a 60 and 40 per cent basis, the same sum will in the future be apportioned among the players of eight clubs, the total number of men being approximately 192.

No changes are to be made in the system of distribution used to allot gate receipts to the present winning club owners. Read The Herald.



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An examination is also announced for the position of yardmaster. A vacancy in the navy yard, Charleston, S. C., at \$6.00 per day, and future vacancies requiring similar qualifications will be filled from this examination.

MILLION COPIES FOR GERMANY

London, Jan. 11.—Referring to the report that it is intended to drop a million copies of President Wilson's address in Germany from airplanes, the Daily Chronicle, while thinking the idea excellent, and that if every German could read the address it might lead to a national strike against the war, recalls Germany's recent announcement that pilots caught dropping propaganda would be shot as spies. Accordingly, the paper appeals to "inventors to produce a machine which of itself will drop propaganda."

GERMANS ARE BADLY WHIPPED

Rome, Jan. 11.—Austro-German forces yesterday were forced to evacuate some trench sections near Cavazzio-Turina, on the Italian mountain front, the War Office announced today. The retreating Germans were caught under the Italian fire and suffered considerable losses. The text of the statement reads: "Artillery fire, which occasionally

became more intense in the Cladieu Valley, took place along the front of the Asiago Plateau and in the Col Capelle-Mt. Pertica-Assolone region. "West of Cavazzio-Turina the effective concentration of our trench mortars forced the enemy to evacuate some trench elements. The retreating enemy party was caught under a lively fire from our machine guns and rifles and suffered heavy losses. "Atmospheric conditions were favorable to aerial activity. Three enemy machines were brought down, one of these by British aircraft."

MEETING WITH MUCH OPPOSITION

London, Jan. 11.—The Defense of the Realm Act, which has been nicknamed "Dora," has come in for more abuse, from hair dressers owing to an embargo put on the use of spirits for general use. This measure has become necessary in consequence of the enormously increased demand for munition and Red Cross needs.

Dry shampoos and hair lotions are all threatened by the latest order of "Dora," and as the use of methylated spirit for burning purposes is also forbidden, thousands of forced-draught oil stoves which cannot be lighted except by the aid of spirit, are made useless.

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103 CONN. MEN SENTENCED AT CAMP DEVENS

Ayer, Jan. 11.—Sentence was imposed today on 103 Connecticut members of the 39th Infantry at Camp Devens, convicted by court martial of being absent without leave at Christmas. In a few of the cases hard labor was included, but in others punishment consisted only of loss of pay for periods ranging from eight to 15 days. It was announced today that commissions as second lieutenants in the quartermaster's corps were available for members of the national army, regular army and national guard who are specially qualified, and drafted men were invited to make application for such commissions.

ENGLAND WILL SPREAD PRES. ADDRESS

London, Jan. 11.—The National War Aims Committee have decided that the prime minister's war-aims speech offers a fruitful field for educational propaganda. Pamphlet containing the full text of the speech and the messages, in which President Wilson, Premier Clemenceau and others encourage it is being prepared for distribution by the millions.



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Portsmouth, N. H., Saturday, January 12, 1918.

No! No! No!

It has been proposed that the trenches, "writhing in mile upon mile of serpentine folds from the North Sea to the Swiss frontier, traceable like some line of leviathan mole hills," be preserved as long as possible after the war as a memorial of the greatest human conflict in the history of the world. "Certainly," it is said, "there ought to be some fitting memorial of this great struggle, something calculated to bring it home clearly and freshly to the minds of future generations."

There need be no fear that this war will ever be forgotten. It is placing a blood stain on the pages of history which will never be erased, and to preserve any of its ugly features which it is possible to eradicate would, in the opinion of this newspaper, be a grievous mistake.

The memorial of this war will be mourning for a generation and debts that will rest with crushing force upon many generations yet to be. The work of these generations will be to restore and build up what was torn down by those who went before, including the good will and brotherly love which will enable the nations of the world to live together in peace.

For many years the battle fields will bear sorrowful mementoes of the awful upheaval which has been visited upon the world, without artificial aid or the preservation of features designed for the destruction of property and life. Ruined cities and cathedrals, wrecked villages and devastated farms, orchards and vineyards—all these will be a sufficient reminder of the time when human rights demanded such a sacrifice as the world was never before called upon to make.

These, with the agonizing pages which have been added to history, should suffice. Instead of striving to preserve any of the ugly scars, too many of which will be ineradicable, there should be an effort to wipe out the reminders of the frightful contest and to restore to the world that spirit of brotherhood which will enable the nations to dwell together in peace and amity.

The proposition to build a great memorial highway from Zeebrugge to Belfort has more to commend it. Good roads are a mark of civilization, which it is to be hoped may rule the world after the close of its present dreadful experience. With the return of peace, which must some time come, distant as it may appear today, it should be the work of every heart and every hand to bury the reminders of the insane outbreak beyond sight and hearing, so far as this is possible, and to supplant them with evidences of civilization, peace, plenty and contentment. No ugly feature that can be obliterated should be preserved to keep alive distressful memories and fan the sparks of hatred.

California is very favorably disposed toward France. The convicts in one of the state prisons have sent a large consignment of tobacco to the soldiers, and the state is going to send half a million pounds of seed beans and 1,500,000 young prune trees with which to help rehabilitate the devastated portion of the country. California's first prune trees came from France, and the compliment is now to be returned with interest.

The city government for 1918 has been organized. This is a time when unusually grave responsibilities rest upon all public officials, and it is to be expected that those of Portsmouth will rise to the occasion to the best of their ability. In so far as they do this they will have the support of the people of the city, regardless of partisan considerations.

Already it is becoming apparent that railroad operations in the hands of Uncle Sam are not to be dictated by the crossroads dignitaries of the country. Some of these are voicing their objections to certain moves in the interest of the country as a whole, but thus far their suggestions and protests have fallen very flat.

Retrenchment has struck Chicago with such force that a lot of city office holders are being turned out of their places. It would be well if the movement were to spread to other cities, most of which could dispense with some of the feeders at their municipal cribs without detriment to the public service.

A long fight and a stiff one, with the United States bearing the brunt of it, is the prediction of the American minister to Denmark, M. F. Egan, who has just arrived in this country. It must be admitted that it looks that way, but of the final outcome there can be no doubt.

Priority in transportation has been sifted down to coal and foodstuffs. This is a good starter, and it is not the only good that promises to come out of the handling of the railroads by the government during the period of the war.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

A Divine Right to the Rear

(From the Cleveland Plain Dealer)
It will be noticed that the Kaiser has lost no sons in the defense of the Fatherland. And there are six of 'em.

Made By Congress

(From the New York Herald)
There might be prompter response to this popular demand for the cutting of red tape at Washington were it not that the cutting of red tape means the cutting off of offices that are, or may be, held by political henchmen.

German Methods

(From the Syracuse Post-Standard)
Trotzky's invitation, "Come on and take Petrograd if you want to feed 2,000,000 people," shows a misconception of the German method. Germany does not feed those she conquers. She robs them of what they have and leaves them to starve.

Picking On the Poor Parlor Car

(From the Portland Press)
It is hard to see what the logic is in cutting down the number of parlor cars on a train. Either there should be enough to accommodate all who desire them or there should be none. The fact is, chair cars should be eliminated altogether. They are a luxury pure and simple, and this is no time to burn coal to maintain a luxury.

French-Canadian Gratitude

(From the New York Commercial)
Some French-Canadian politicians and newspapers are calling for a boycott of goods made west of the Ottawa River. They might as well talk of refusing to let the waters of the Great Lakes flow down the St. Lawrence to the sea. Quebec owes more to the British empire than any other part of the king's overseas dominions and France deserves something at her hands in this crisis.

Our Mistake

(From the Philadelphia Public Ledger)
America cannot escape her share of blame in the diplomacy of the summer of 1917. Had she joined hands with Kerensky to force from the Entente Allies a revision of their war aims, as she has now tacitly joined hands with the Bolsheviks to accomplish the same purpose, the war would soon have been over with a political revolution for Germany and a true democratic victory for the Allies.

Instead, America stopped her Socialist delegates from going to Stockholm and set the ball of reactionary politics rolling with fresh momentum in the face of the Russian revolution. This was exactly what the Allied governments wanted. They told their peoples that America had requested similar action of them. The Russian peasant raised his eyebrows. He thought these democracies must be waging a curious sort of war for freedom and ideals.

A Stimulating Appointment

(From the New York Evening Post)
The announcement that Lord Reading is to succeed Sir Cecil Spring-Rice as British ambassador at Washington is bound to create a sensation on both sides of the Atlantic. This marks, in truth, a new diplomacy, for Lord Reading's training has been anything but along the lines of the conventional British diplomat. A former stock broker, mixed up in the Marconi stock scandal, though apparently more as a careless victim than anything else, the once attorney general and now chief justice of England, the former Rufus Isaacs has been a storm center in English politics ever since his rapid rise began. That he is of Jewish blood will make the Tories rage still more, as they read of this new post.

But Lord Reading is undoubtedly a man of great ability and of much personal charm. He has made an excellent impression on his visits to this country as an able business man, and he will undoubtedly be a business ambassador such as the time calls for. At any rate, most Americans, we fancy, will breathe a sigh of relief when they read the news and say: "Well, thank heavens, it isn't Northcliffe!"

Cut All Ice Possible

(From the New York Commercial)
Abundance of good natural ice, the first crop of the year, is assured and an unusually large supply should be gathered for the purpose of saving coal consumed in making artificial ice. Ice will be needed as badly next summer as coal is now and the price of ice should not be regulated by the cost of fuel when nature has provided all the ice that can be consumed. Enough ice to serve all requirements until the middle of July can be piled up outside of the regular icehouses and protected from the sun sufficiently well to meet early demands, after which the capacity of existing ice houses is great enough to dispense with artificial ice for refrigerating purposes. Save coal by storing river ice now!

A Medal For Liberty Service

(From the Pittsburgh Gazette-Times)
Henry P. Davidson, Dr. William J. Mayo and Herbert C. Hoover will be the first recipients of a medal for "notable service to mankind" to be presented by the National Institute of Social Science. The name, "Liberty Service Medal," is happily chosen for a decoration that recognizes achievements of a patriotic and humanitarian nature outside of the Army and Navy. The only objection anybody can have to the honor will be based on the risk

in awarding medals before the completion of the work. This objection will not hold in the case of the trio named, as Mr. Davidson's work as chairman of the Red Cross War Council, Dr. Mayo's in surgery and Mr. Hoover's in supervising relief of the starving in Belgium, are distinguished services.

At the close of the war Congress will have its opportunity for proving to our military and naval commanders and men that republics are not ungrateful. At that time, or even before then, it may be thought fitting to recognize the unselfish and noteworthy efforts of civilians like Mr. Davidson and others by a medal, which with the thanks of the nation would be prized more by the recipient than any other reward. As the Institute of Social Science has appropriated one good name for its medal, another one expressing the idea of notable service in civil life must be suggested.

FALLING CHIMNEY KILLS THREE

FALLING (By Associated Press)

Lynn, Jan. 12.—Three bodies were recovered from the ruins of the Sprague Box Factory on Broad street today after a gale had sent the tall factory chimney crashing through the rear part of the three-story wooden building.

The known dead are Mrs. Florence Eveleth, Miss Luella H. Brown, and Leonardo Mito, all of Lynn. It is believed that no other persons were killed.

THE HERALD HEARS

That one of the largest trains of freight so far was sent to the Newington shipbuilding plant today.

That the party of young high school people who made the trip to the Newington town hall on Thursday night, say it was some time.

That not all the evening was given to dancing by any means.

That one of the party should be on the political stump for a living on soap box campaigning.

That he caught the house when he took to the stage.

That a committee was appointed to find out just the nature of his address and decide whether it was patriotism or politics that prompted him to appear before the footlights.

That the man with the gun on Water street last night, cannot do it here like they do in Maine.

That this is the time a man is judged by what he gives, not by what he is worth.

That the horsemen who have been talking races were helped out by the weatherman today when he took the snow away.

That there would be a great deal more of giving if we had a great deal more to give.

That a couple from Maine came here to get married today but were held up by the fact that they had given no previous notice.

That the would-be groom could not understand the five-days' notice part of it.

That he was much disappointed when he found that he had no legitimate reason for getting the five-days' notice waived.

NAVY YARD NOTES

N YARD

Some Smoke, No Fire

An alarm from box 55 at the local yard was sounded at 9 o'clock this morning for what was thought to be a fire in the yard pattern shop which proved to be only smoke, caused from a short circuit in one of the cable boxes.

Sent Here for Service

Eleven naval reserves from Bunkin Island were sent to the local yard today for active service.

Asst. Secretary to Speak

Franklin D. Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy, will be the next speaker in the Harvard series of war lectures. He will speak Monday evening on the United States navy at the new lecture hall in Cambridge.

AFTER DARK IN OUR VILLAGE

It is 10 o'clock in Boston; Dittie in the towns near by; But the curfew bell is lost on bay. One fair Harvard College boy. Hence the constables soon hook him. As they will those college men. And their charge is, as they hook him, "Lighted up till after 10."

Though the villain grabs her hold, Bound to have the missing pearl, Ethel gazes at him coldly. Like a brave Smith College girl. "Do your worst! You cannot scare me!" How the full house cheered her then. "For, poor fool, you've got to spare me." Curtain drops, you know, at 10."

In the parlor sits fair Alice, Percy Bonadome by her side; And she can't conceal her malice, While he prates with conscious pride. For he thinks himself a wonder, And he likes to puff and spout. Now he comprehends his blunder: "It is 10! Good night! Light out!"

—W. H. H. in Boston Globe.

124 DELEGATES WILL GO FROM YORK COUNTY

Republican Convention at Bangor to Be Held on March 26.

The next Republican state convention which will be held at Bangor on Thursday, March 26, will be entitled to 147 delegates, the basis of representation being a delegate for every city, town and plantation in the state and an additional delegate for every 75 votes and fraction thereof cast for the Republican candidate for governor in 1916.

York county will be entitled to 124 delegates divided as follows: Acton, 2; Alfred, 3; Bangor, 5; Biddeford, 13; Buxton, 4; Cornish, 3; Dayton, 1; Eliot, 3; Hollis, 3; Kennebunk, 7; Kennebunkport, 3; Kittery, 6; Lebanon, 3; Limerick, 2; Lincolnton, 3; Lyman, 2; Newfield, 2; North Berwick, 4; North Kennebunkport, 1; Old Orchard, 3; Parkersfield, 3; Saco, 1; Sanford, 1; Shapleigh, 2; South Berwick, 5; Waterville, 4; Wells, 5; York, 6.

INCOME TAX AND DEPRECIATION

The question of the amount deductible from income in regard to depreciation in value of property and other earnings is one that is causing considerable misunderstanding. "At what rates may depreciation be claimed and under what conditions?" is a question that has been asked by many taxpayers. With a view to aiding The Herald readers in computing returns, under the new law, this question is explained as fully and as simply as possible.

As the rate at which the depreciation may be claimed, independent upon local conditions upon the use to which the property is put, and upon the lifetime under normal business conditions, no specific rates at which it may be claimed have ever been established. The law states that a "reasonable allowance" may be claimed and it is for the taxpayer to determine what constitutes a "reasonable allowance." To compute the amount which may be claimed, a taxpayer should determine the probable lifetime of the property, then divide its cost to him by the number of years it is employable in a business which he is employed, and the result thus obtained will represent the amount which may be claimed each year as a deduction. For example, a frame building, the probable lifetime of which, without repair or replacement, is 25 years, cost \$5000 Divide \$5000 by 25 and claim \$200 each year as depreciation.

It has been estimated that the average usable lifetime of a frame building is 25 years, a brick building 35 years, a stone building or a steel and concrete building, 50 to 100 years. The estimated lifetime of ordinary machinery is 10 years, that of automobiles used for business or farm purposes and farm tractors, four to five years.

If a taxpayer wishes to claim the full amount of depreciation estimated to have occurred in the value of a building, or other property, used for business or trade purposes, he may do so, but this precludes his claiming a deduction to cover any amount expended during the same year in making repairs. If he wishes to claim a deduction on account of repairs, their cost must be deducted from the full amount of depreciation, and the balance may then be claimed as a deduction under the heading of "Depreciation," that is, if the taxpayer expends \$100 in making repairs to a building which will depreciate in value \$200 during the calendar year he may claim \$100 as a business expense and \$100 as depreciation, and nothing for repairs. In short, the aggregate deduction claimed on account of repairs and depreciation must not exceed the full amount of depreciation estimated to have occurred.

In claiming depreciation, the following fundamental principles must be taken into consideration:

(a) Only such depreciation as results from exhaustion, wear and tear of property arising out of its use or employment in business or trade, can be claimed. Depreciation in the value of a home, of an article of property, such as automobiles used for personal pleasure or convenience, cannot be claimed; the property must be used for the purpose of producing income.

(b) Depreciation other than that arising from wear and tear, such as a lessening of value due to changes in the social or business conditions in the neighborhood in which a property is located, changes of street grade, or

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PHILIPPINES WILL PLAY PART IN FOOD PRODUCTION

(By Associated Press)

Manila, Jan. 12.—To enable the Philippine Islands to play their part in saving the world from the pinch of hunger, the Philippine congress has passed a bill through both houses authorizing the appointment of an administrator to take charge of a campaign for the stimulation of food production. Compulsory labor is one of the means the Philippine secretary of agriculture is authorized to adopt if necessary.

In this connection the long expected bill to permit the importation of Chinese laborers has been introduced in congress. It provides that they shall be allowed to remain in this country only five years and may not acquire any property during this period of contract. At the end of five years they will be returned by the government to the country whence they came.

Strong opposition to this bill is expected from the labor interests. If it is approved it must then go to the congress of the United States for final approval since the Philippine congress is not authorized to act alone on immigration questions.

Another bill is under consideration compelling the registration of all able-bodied men who are without work.

fluctuations in market values, cannot be claimed.

(c) Depreciation in the value of land, whether improved or unimproved, due to erosion, exhaustion or any other cause cannot be claimed.

(d) Where the value of a piece of machinery or any other asset is lessened by reason of the production of an improved machine or article, that depreciation cannot be claimed as it does not result from exhaustion, wear or tear.

(e) Where in the course of years, the owner of property has claimed its full cost as depreciation in his tax returns, no further claim will be allowed.

REAL ESTATE CONVEYANCES

Following are the conveyances of real estate in the county of Rockingham recently recorded in the Registry of Deeds:

Epping—Charles W. Hill, Deerfield, et al., to Eva J. Hill, rights in certain premises, \$1.—Emeline S. Purlington to Joseph P. Lavole, land and buildings, \$1.

Exeter—Mrs. Albert West, Stratham, to Lewis S. Swain, land on Washington street, \$1.—John M. Wadleigh to William E. Moore, land in Cilley farm, \$1.

Greenland—William P. Frink to Heald S. B. and Belnap S. Weeks, land, \$1.

Hampstead—Alice L. Sullivan, Manchester, to Mary L. Merrill, land and buildings, \$1.—Mary S. F. Smith to James C. Merrill, Haverhill, woodland, \$1.—Edwin L. Peaslee to Tonia A. Peaslee, both of Haverhill, land, \$1.

Kingston—John E. Currier, Merrimack, to Mary A. Hayford, Newlyn, et al., certain premises, \$1.

Newington—Emma A. Bullard to Flora Stebbins, both of Portsmouth, land and buildings, \$1.

Northwood—Plummer C. Knowlton to Harry L. Knowlton, land, \$1.—Joseph E. Bartlett to George E. Pierce, Beverly, Mass., land, \$1.—Last grantee to Zella Brown, Beverly, land, \$1.

Nottingham—Joseph N. Cilley to Thomas E. Fernald, land, \$1. deeded in 1896.—John P. Bennett, Farmington, to Charles H. Bennett, Northwood, half certain land, \$1.—Howard M. Olden, Leo, to Charles O. Green, Rye, land, \$1.

Plaistow—Mary A. Kelly to James A. and Mary J. Smith, land, \$1.—Mary E. Williams to Louis C. Hill, land, \$1.—Maria Sikorsky to Sarah M. Collin, Haverhill, land and buildings, \$1.—Everett H. Kelly to Levi S. Foster, land, \$1.

Portsmouth—James S. Walley, Derry, to Florio W. Graffman, Boston, land and buildings on Cass street, \$1.—Last grantee to Jacob B. Miller, same premises, \$1.—Claire E. George to Annie M. Washburne, land on Hanover street, \$1.—Lucy F. Berry et al. to James J. Morrison, land and buildings on Hanover street, \$1.—Winfield S. Garland, Brockton, Mass., to Edith M. W. Ward, land on Lafayette road, \$1.—Mary I. Garland to last grantee, land on Lafayette road, \$1.—William C. Phillips to Nathan A. Whalley, land and buildings on Mark street, \$1.—Hanche S. Bates to Abdon M. Goodrich and Maude A. Greenough, land and buildings on Bennett street, \$1.—Last grantee to John B. Conlton, same premises, \$1.—Elizabeth S. Harrison et al. to John P. E. Harrison, land and buildings on Sherburne road, \$1.—William L. Tobey, Winthrop, Mass., to John G. Tobey, land and buildings on Pelepie street, \$1.—Florence M. DeRochemont to John K. Doe, land and buildings on Bennett street, \$1.—Portsmouth Building Association to Allen C. de Rochemont, land and buildings on Aldrich road, \$1.—John Pender to Ferdinand W. Hartford, half Cuts street premises, \$1.

Rye—Sarah L. Jenness to Katie F. Champlin, Boston, land and buildings, \$1.

Salem—Grace B. Bailey, Derry, to Hattie A. Hunt, land, \$1.—Ellen E. Chandler et al. to Grace G. Ford, all of Lawrence, right of way, \$1.—W. W. Cole to Sald and Frieda Boomtrille, Lawrence, land and buildings, \$1.—Royal L. Ackerman to Arlington Mills, Lawrence, land, \$1.

Sandown—Clifton D. Mayo, Plaistow, et al. to Clarence I. Drowne, land, \$35.60.

Seabrook—Jacob F. Dow to Charles L. Boyd, land, \$1.

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YORK COUNTY PROBATE COURT

The bill of the late Jesse I. Wadleigh of Biddeford was presented in the York County probate court at Biddeford on Friday. No estimate was given in the petition as to the amount of the estate but it was rumored that it is \$10,000 odd. There are 20 beneficiaries named in the will. A number of local people are remembered, as follows: Rosalie A. Lunt, \$1,000; to his brother, Henry W. Wadleigh, \$1,000, and amount of his indebtedness to testator; to Alice M. Hemmenway of Biddeford, \$300; to his nephews, George Hatch, Charles Hatch, John Wadleigh, Edward Whitehouse and Charles W. Lunt, each \$300; to his nieces, Emma Hatch, Lizzie Day, Mary Worley, Clara L. Preble, Bella Pillsbury, Gertrude L. Gove, Jessie W. Lunt, Lucy W. Whitehouse, Fleta L. Babb, Mary Frances Wadleigh and Margaret O. Wadleigh, each \$200. All the real, residue and remainder, real, personal and mixed, is given his sister, Rosabella A. Lunt, her heirs and assigns forever. Edward Whitehouse of Dayton and Jessie W. Lunt of Biddeford are appointed executors.

Accounts were allowed in the following estates: John S. Monton, late of Biddeford; Arthur Davis, Biddeford; account of Miranda Dixon of Kittery; Jessie Frisbee, Kittery; George W. Brown, Eliot; Edwin C. Small, Cornish; Sarah J. Abbott, Old Orchard; private account of executor.

Wills were allowed in the following estates: Harriet Chase Weymouth, late of Saco; James Gould, Limerick; Mary W. Tetreau, Sanford; William S. Littlefield, Sanford; foreign will of Elizabeth P. Bell, Andover, Mass.; Sally A. Pickering, Haverhill, Mass.; Eugenia C. Brewster, York; Almira L. Bennett, Sanford.

Wills were presented for notice in the following estates: Esther Jones, late of Limington, \$11,000 personal; Miss Emily M. Jones is named executrix and the bulk of the estate is given to her after payment of a few minor bequests and regular necessary expenses of deceased. Louis Spaulding, Shapleigh, \$350 real, \$50 personal.

Desire to Continue the Negotiations

(By Associated Press)

Amsterdam, Jan. 12.—Leon Trotsky, the Bolshevik foreign minister at the peace conference at Brest-Litovsk said that in order not to leave any possibility in the fight for peace unutilized, the Russian delegations accepted the demands that the negotiations be continued at Brest-Litovsk instead of being transferred to a neutral country.

The chairman of the Russian delegation said that in full accord with their former resolution, the Russians desired to continue the peace negotiations quite apart from the fact whether or not the Entente powers participated. He said he had noticed the statement of the Central Powers that the basis of a general peace was null and void and added: "We adhere to the principles of democratic peace."



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HEARING HELD ON PETITION OF D. S. & R. RY.

Rochester, Jan. 12.—The Dover, Somersworth and Rochester Street railway has petitioned for a discontinuance of service until April 1 of the line between Central and Stratford Squares and, Friday afternoon a hearing was held in the police court room before Judge William T. Gunnison of the Public Service Commission. Mr. Flood of Haverhill, Mass., an employee of the company, appeared for it, City Solicitor Elmer J. Smart for the city, and Attorney Leslie P. Snow for the remonstrants.

The road's objection to the line during the cold weather was that it was operated at a loss to the company, and it also desired to conserve coal. Questions considered at the hearing were how much coal would be saved by the discontinuance of the line and how much the public would be inconvenienced. Another point considered was whether the road was conveying at the right place and whether or not it would not be wiser to discontinue the line at Central Park between the Y and Park than the one under consideration as the former is useless from the public point of view.

Judge Gunnison asked the road to keep an account of the expense and income of the line between Central and Stratford Squares, also to ascertain if it could discontinue the Sawyer loop at Dover and a piece of road at Somersworth for the winter months, to report within a week.

If the road does not care to discontinue the above out of town lines, then Judge Gunnison will render his decision at once in the Rochester case, but if otherwise, then a hearing will be held on the discontinuance of all the lines in question.

PROMISES MEAN NOTHING TO GERMANY

London, Jan. 10.—Another proof of the German disregard of promises and agreements has been furnished in the British advance toward Cambrai. Some time ago Germany signed a solemn agreement with Great Britain providing that no prisoners of war would be employed within 12 miles of the front line. But two Russian prisoners were found by the British in German dugouts at Anzeux, which was barely four miles from the lines as they lay at the opening of the Cambrai attack. Moreover, these Russians had seen a party of 300 to 400 British prisoners at Anzeux, near Cambrai, about eight miles from the old front lines.

The Russians told a pitiful story of ill treatment and suffering. They had to subsist, under German regulations, on half a pound of bread and some grass soup daily. As punishment for minor offenses they were strung up to poles with their feet just touching the ground. Men were bayoneted or shot for refusal or inability to work, until, from one cause or another, only 250 men remained out of a camp of 500 prisoners.

Amsterdam, Jan. 12.—The Rhenische Westfälische Zeitung says in regard to President Wilson's war aims speech: "We are working out our terms of peace, and Mr. Wilson will soon become aware of them."

The newspaper adds that Germany is working with him on the question of freedom of the seas, but adds: "Mr. Wilson is unable to guarantee it to us, therefore we propose to enforce it with U-boats."

OPPOSES NEW CABINET OFFICER

Washington, Jan. 11.—Congressional plans to reorganizing a separate department of munitions with a new cabinet officer at its head met with no favor in the white house.

Members of the house who called on President Wilson today to ask his opinion of the movement returned to the capitol with word that the President believed that no good and much harm might be done by setting up a new department and disrupting the existing machinery of the war and navy departments.

BRITISH TANKS PRECEDED THE ATTACK

Berne, Switzerland, Jan. 10.—Describing the battle of Cambrai to German readers, Lieutenant General Von Arnim in the Tagblatt says: "Those who fought in the battle describe the

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You don't know what upset your stomach—which portion of the food did the damage—do you? Well, don't bother. If your stomach is in a revolt: if sick, gassy and upset, and what you just ate has fermented and turned sour; head dizzy and aches; belch gases and acids and eructate undigested food; breath foul; tongue coated—just take a little Pape's Diapepsin to neutralize acidity and in five minutes you wonder what became of the indigestion and distress.

Millions of men and women today know that it is needless to have dyspepsia. A little Diapepsin occasionally keeps the stomach sweetened, and they eat their favorite foods without fear.

If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal diet without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the quickest, surest, most harmless antacid is Pape's Diapepsin which costs only fifty cents for a large case at any drug store. It's truly wonderful—it stops food souring and sets things straight so gently and easily that it is really astonishing. Your stomach will digest your meals if you keep acids neutralized.

After a hearty meal take Doan's Regulents and assist your stomach, liver and bowels. Regulents are a mild laxative.

Imposing impression made by the British tanks which preceded the attack on the western front. As they advanced in masses, with very small intervals between them, they reminded one of Hannibal's battle elephants or the sickle chariots of Pharaoh. The booming, rumbling attack was accompanied or rather supported from the air by a veritable cloud of battle aircraft, while closely pressed masses of infantry and field artillery followed the iron wall, three cavalry divisions bringing up the rear.

MUST MAKE POWDER BAGS

Washington, Jan. 12.—Factories making automobile and carriage covers and carpets have been asked by the council of national defense to begin the manufacture of powder bags. This is the first instance announced of steps taken to divert industrial plants to war work.

KITTERY

Kittery, Jan. 12.—Government Street Methodist Church, Rev. J. F. Jenner, pastor: Miss Ellen Bowden, organist; 10 a. m., Methodist Sunday school; 11, morning worship, union service, with the address by Rev. Carl Nichols of the Christian church, followed by a union communion service; 12, Christian Sunday school; 5 p. m., Vesper service, with sermon by Rev. Mr. Jenner; 6, union Young People's meeting; 7, Christian church service, with sermon by Rev. Mr. Nichols. A cordial invitation is extended to all to worship at these services.

Mrs. Harold Schaff returned on Friday to her home in Graydon, N. H., after a week's visit with Mrs. B. E. Shapleigh of Otis Avenue.

Mrs. Lester Bowker of Prince Avenue passed Friday with her aunt, Mrs. Mary Hawkes of Portsmouth.

Frank L. Emery of Central Street went to Kennebunkport this morning to pass the week-end.

Mrs. Wallace Chick and son Donald of South Eliot have been recent guests of relatives here.

Mrs. Charles Glidden of Love Lane returned on Friday from a week's trip to Washington, D. C.

Rev. John F. Jenner of Otis Avenue is able to go out after a week's illness. Preaching at the First Methodist church on Sunday at 10:45; the pastor, Rev. B. P. Wentworth, will preach on "The Windows of Heaven"; evening service at 7:30.

Mrs. Sarah Luits passed Friday afternoon with friends at South Eliot.

Mrs. William Fife has recovered from the scarlet fever, and the quarantine lifted from the house.

Charles Pinkham has been restricted to the house the past few days with a severe cold.

Mrs. William Taylor of Portsmouth visited relatives in town on Friday.

Onville Pray of Locke's Cove has been having a few days' vacation from his duties at the navy yard.

A telephone has been installed into the home of E. E. Shapleigh, Jr.

Mrs. James Dwyer and daughter, Mary, of Otis Avenue, have returned from a visit of several weeks to relatives in Lowell, Mass.

Mrs. B. P. Moore of Oak Bank is visiting in Boston.

All the news all the time. Keep in touch with The Herald.

MISS RANKIN IS GIVEN HOUSE FLAG

Washington, Jan. 12.—Miss Jeanette Rankin, Republican of Montana, has been presented the flag which waved over the House when the 70-year fight of the women of this country was partially won and the suffrage amendment carried by that body.



Charles Taylor of Portland was a visitor in this city today.

Miss Marie Chuster of the Cowles witness party, has returned to New York.

Miss Alice Bartlett of Lynnfield, Mass., is passing the week-end with relatives here.

Arthur Ross of Somersworth was here today calling on friends at the telephone office.

Charles Coughlin has been discharged from the Portsmouth hospital after being at that institution for the past seven weeks.

E. J. Connor, stenographer at the Newington Ship Plant, went to Biddeford this noon to pass Sunday with his wife.

Mrs. John Y. Wood of Logansport, Indiana, is visiting her sons Russell and Harry Wood at the Buckminster House, Wellington St.

Miss Ross Ryan who has been passing two weeks at her home in this city, returned to her duties at the Cushing hospital, Roxbury, today.

Divers N. E. Gordon of Portland, and George Gatchell of Hallowell, Me., have arrived here to do a contract job for the government at the navy yard.

Edison Miner of Franklin, who was a page in the house of representatives in 1917, has been the guest of his aunt, Mrs. W. E. Ryan of Middle street.

Miss Agnes Mullin who has been employed at the Salloway Mills office, leaves Monday for Portsmouth, to accept a position as stenographer and typewriter at the navy yard.—Franklin Transcript.

Doctors William R. Lightbody, and George A. Duxon are the latest acquisitions of their country's service from among Manchester's professional men. Both have friends in this city.

Mrs. Maria Moses, wife of Lieutenant Commander Moses of the U. S. S. Hannibal, arrived Friday from her home in New Orleans for a stay here with her husband. They are stopping at the Buckingham.

Mrs. William S. Rath who has made her home in this city since last June, left today for Norfolk, Va., to take up a residence there. She was accompanied by Miss Alice B. Ryan who will pass several days in the southern city.

KITTERY POINT

Kittery Point, Jan. 12.—The funeral services of Daniel Raynes were held at the Congregational church at York on Friday afternoon, Rev. McClary officiating.

Joseph Moulton is confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. L. E. Senger left on Friday for Boston, being called there by the illness of her sister.

A special meeting was held at Freeman's hall last evening.

Miss Dorothy Tobey entertained the Olds' Patriotic club last evening. Twelve young ladies were present.

The next meeting will be with Miss Bernice Billings.

Congregational Church
11, Morning worship Rev. John A. Waterworth, minister.

12:15, Sunday school; Miss Julia Duncan, superintendent.

Free Baptist Church
10:45, Morning worship; Rev. E. W. Cummings, pastor. Topic, "Borrowing Religion."

12, Sunday school; Mrs. Josephine Frisbee, superintendent.

7, Evening worship; subject, "The Knowledge of Experience."

First Christian Church
Rev. W. T. Coffin, pastor.

11:45, Junior Christian Endeavor.
12:30, Sunday school.

7, Evening service.

Miss Helen Woodbury celebrated the 14th anniversary of her birth on Friday afternoon by entertaining 15 of her young friends. The time was pleasantly passed in playing games and music was enjoyed. Tea cream and assorted cake were served. Miss Helen was the recipient of a number of very choice gifts.

Leon Spinney of Eliot was a visitor in town on Friday on business.

Mrs. Jacob Fletcher is recovering from an illness and is able to be about the house.

Mrs. Henry Marden delightfully entertained the members of the S. V. club at her home last evening. A dainty luncheon was served by the hostess. Mrs. Everett Swain and children of Portsmouth are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fletcher of the Creek road.

Mrs. James Baker is passing a few days at her former home in New-castle.

Miss Ruth Emery is able to be out

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NORTH KITTERY

North Kittery, Jan. 12.—The Alert Club were very successful in their effort to secure money to purchase a clock for the People's Society church, and the boys are to be commended for their splendid rendition of the following program: "Little Brethren," Clyde P. Chick; recitation, Willis J. Pettigrew; reading, Ellsworth Chick; reading, "An Incident in the French Camp," Raymond E. Pettigrew; recitation, "When Father Rode the Goat," Howard Chick; reading, "Brought in Father's Prayers," Urban Norton; recitation, "The Little Twilight Boy," Orman Chick; recitation, "Grandpa's Averon to Slang," Clyde F. Chick; "The Lightning Rod Dispenser," Raymond G. Pettigrew; reading, "A Rough Rider at Home," Clyde F. Chick. The closing remarks of the president, Raymond G. Pettigrew, brought to the people's attention the fact that the club was still in its infancy, yet it was growing rapidly, and was accomplishing more and more each day.

The People's Society will hold services for Sunday, Jan. 13, in the People's Society building. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. H. W. Brooks; morning worship with sermon at 11; Sunday school directly following the service. The evening service at 7:30 will be led by Miss Marion E. Pettigrew.

Under the auspices of the social committee for January, there will be music, and a splendid time is assured. Part of the people are making new efforts towards making the church social a success from every point of view.

ST. JOHN'S PARISH.

First Sunday after Epiphany.—Holy communion, 8 a. m.; morning prayer, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 m.; evening, 7:30 p. m.

Holy communion, Monday, 7:30 a. m., Evening, Friday, 7:30 p. m.

St. John's Parish Club will meet Monday evening at the Parish house. The Woman's Guild will meet Tuesday at Miss Walker's at 7:30 p. m.

Read the Want Ads.

Portsmouth, Jan. 11, 1918.

—X. Y. Z.

Of a colored man in a Texas town Who got it straight from a circus clown That a man in the Klondike had the news From a gang of South American Jews About somebody in Borneo Who heard of a man who claimed to know

Of a sweet society female fake Whose mother-in-law will undertake To prove that her seventh husband's sister's niece

Has stated in a printed piece That her cousin's Uncle's Brother's pa Heard his stepdaughter say to her ma That she has a chum who has a friend Who knows when the war is going to end.

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GERMANS NOW USING DEADLY SUBMARINES

London, Jan. 11.—The submarine warfare has gradually taken on a new phase since the wintry weather set in. Submarines of the so-called cruiser type are now doing most of the sinkings, while the smaller submarines apparently are confining their work largely to mine laying.

The reason for this shifting of German technique is that small submarines are not good surface craft in stormy seas, while the cruiser type has proved wonderfully seaworthy, being actually more manœuvrable than the modern torpedo boat destroyer in heavy weather.

The cruiser submarines carry two 5.9 guns and sixteen torpedoes and can remain at sea six weeks. The Germans have built a considerable number of these "super-submarines" since the first one visited American waters, but so many of them have been lost that there are now not more than seven or eight operating. These however are manned by the pick of the whole German navy, and their power for harm may be judged from the fact that these seven or eight vessels are able to keep up a heavy toll of sinkings among Allied shipping.

Many Sinkings by Gun Fire

A considerable proportion of the recent sinkings have been accomplished by gun fire. The cruiser submarines guns no longer are of the old type, which foisted into the body of the craft when it submerged and had to be unfolded before a U-boat could get into action. The new guns are of a species known technically as wet guns, being constructed of material which sea water does not harm. They are mounted on stationary platforms. Therefore they are always ready and can be fired the instant the deck of an emerging boat is above water.

An American torpedo boat destroyer had an encounter with one of these submarine cruisers a few days ago. The German was engaged in sinking three armed merchantmen from a range of four miles and had fired about thirty shots when the American destroyer appeared on the horizon, attracted by the sound of the guns.

American Warship Drives One Off

The destroyer opened fire at six miles with the wonderful American naval guns. The U-boat, however, was lying with decks almost awash and therefore was a most difficult target, and as the American drew in toward her at full speed she submerged suddenly. The speaking muzzles of her wet guns disappeared beneath the waves only an instant after their last shots had been fired. The Americans

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CAMP WHEELER IS HIT BY A TORNADO

Macon, Ga., Jan. 12.—A tornado struck Camp Wheeler and Central City park (state fair grounds) late Friday. Great damage was done at the park and several persons were injured. All lines to Camp Wheeler are down and the extent of the damage has not been ascertained. One freight train on the Macon, Dublin and Savannah railroad was wrecked by the storm between Macon and Camp Wheeler. Railroad men say the tornado was followed by a cloudburst.

The first message from Camp Wheeler was brought here by a taxicab driver who said he left the camp during the storm. At that time the corral of the 122d infantry had collapsed, killing one man.

At six o'clock a telephone operator at Camp Wheeler informed the division headquarters were safe then, but that the storm was continuing.

Tell Your Wife Corns Lift Off

Doesn't hurt a bit to lift corns or calluses off with fingers.

Not a twinge of pain or soreness before applying, or afterwards. This may sound like a dream to corn pestered men and women who have been cutting, filing and wearing torturous plasters. Yes! Corns lift off and calluses peel off as if by magic.

A small bottle of freeze-one costs but a few cents at any drug store. Apply a few drops directly upon your tender corn or callus, and instantly the soreness disappears; then shortly the corn or callus will be so loose that it lifts off.

Freeze-one dries instantly. It doesn't eat out the corn or callus, but just shrivels it up so it lifts away without even irritating the surrounding skin. Women should keep a tiny bottle handy on the dresser and never let a corn or callus ache twice.

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GERMAN NEWSPAPERS REVIEW THE WAR

Have Faith In U-Boats To Win.

(By Associated Press)

London, Jan. 11.—A copy of the German newspaper received here recently, gave a summary of the year in which the U-boats have pursued their ruthless sinking of ships.

The paper is the Tagblatt and the following is a partial review of the statement.

"After a year of operation the submarines have proven that the only hope of an early peace lies in continuing their work and increasing the number of boats as well.

The total tonnage of Allied shipping was about 10,000,000, and the total tonnage of German shipping was about 3,500,000. The United States and neutrals were between 3,500,000 and 4,000,000 leaving a net loss of about 6,000,000 tons of shipping to the Allies.

In commenting on the land operations, the Tagblatt said:

The withdrawal of Russia from active hostility and the entering of the United States has been a feature that has not added to the difficulties of the army as yet.

"Whether the United States can furnish an army of sufficient number of trained men with food and munitions and whether she can supply an army with food and munitions after landing it on the front is a question that must be considered.

"The glorious work of the U-boats in the past year and future work will make the task of the United States a very difficult one."

In touching on the English situation the Tagblatt said: "The work of the submarine policy has made a marked difference in the economic life and the tonnage lost to the Allies have made their work much harder and that the policy of sinking Allied shipping will be the deciding factor of the war."

COSSACKS FORM REPUBLIC

(By Associated Press)

Petrograd, Jan. 11.—The report is current here that the Don Cossacks have formed a separate republic in southeastern Russia and that General Kholodkov, their military leader, has been appointed president.

"WILL TO NO PEACE"

Amsterdam, Jan. 11.—Commenting on President Wilson's address, the Norddutsche Allgemeine Zeitung (Berlin) says:

"The fourteen points do not form a programme for world peace, but a real sympathy of will to no peace. Beginning with his joyful fanfare of freedom of the seas and other things, on which the whole world is agreed, even if diversity of opinion exists regarding the method of realization, Mr. Wilson's intervention is not wanted. Having the opportunity of serving peace, he has not only failed, but has clearly expressed a contrary intention."

"Appealing to the self-determination of nations, the president to interfere in the internal affairs of Austria-Hungary and proclaims the policy of doing violence to nations with disregard for all historical and racial facts.

"With equal nonchalance, he finds reason for the partition of Turkey; such as could be voiced only by a man whose policy aims at playing off one

against another, peoples and parts of peoples who belong together and are conscious of their homogeneity."

The Kölnische Volkszeitung says: "President Wilson's programme substantially squares with Lloyd George's. It is as unacceptable for us as is the British, and is more brutal still than that of Lloyd George. He demands the severance from the German Empire of Alsace-Lorraine, which is nine-tenths inhabited by Germans, and he undiscussably demands the severance from the empire of parts of Prussia inhabited by the Poles."

The Berliner Lokal Anzeiger, in an article under the heading "Entente's Wirepuller," speaks of "the unbranded impudence with which the leading statesmen of the multiple alliance deceives the whole world."

"Wilson 'British Military Dictator'"

The Nachrichten of Düsseldorf reports President Wilson's propositions as utterly unacceptable and says that discussion is useless.

"It may be hard," it says, "after three years of war, but a decision must be sought on the battlefield. It is not our wish, but we shall not leave the field except with honor."

The Allgemeine Zeitung of Essen says: "President Wilson seems not to know that the smallest appropriation for the army requires the sanction of the Reichstag. The most democratic Parliament in the world. Yet he, who, unheeding the spirit of the American Constitution, has erected a brutal military dictatorship in his own country, now presumes to talk about autonomy in Germany."

OBSEQUIES

Joseph Helt

The funeral of the late Joseph

Important Ford Notice

On and after the 1st of January, 1918, we shall receive no more Ford Cars for stock delivery. This means that after we sell the cars we now have in stock and two carloads that are en route that we shall have to return to the system of taking orders for cars and then delivering them as fast as the Ford Motor Co. can supply us. This system does not protect the purchaser from an increase in price. The details of this system are as follows: Upon deposit of \$25 we enter your order for one Ford car subject to delivery as soon as conditions will permit. When car arrives the buyer will pay balance of price within three days of notification of arrival of car. If price of car increases after purchaser has entered his order for car he has the right to refuse the delivery of car and deposit returned. This system becomes necessary with the shortage of cars and the delays in transportation. To avoid inconvenience and delay we suggest the immediate purchase of Ford cars as long as they last and then as a second resort get your order on file for delivery as soon as possible. We now have Touring Cars, Runabouts, Chassis, and One-Ton Trucks in stock.

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Helt was held from his home on Maplewood avenue Friday. Rev. Dr. Dillingham gave an eloquent funeral sermon, Osgood Lodge of Odd Fellows of which the deceased was a member, formed the escort and were also pall bearers. The flowers were many and beautiful. The body was placed in the receiving tomb in charge of O. W. Hapm.

GOV. MILLIKEN GETS 36 TONS OF COAL

(By Associated Press)

Portland, Me., Jan. 11.—The report that Gov. Milliken of Maine received 36 tons of coal for his own private use and that it was all delivered to his home caused much unfavorable comment.

Gov. Milliken in a statement says that the coal was purchased by his father last summer.

The Governor favored a canvass in the city of Augusta and if people were found to be hoarding coal that it should be seized and given to people that have absolutely none.

U. S. TO BUILD HUGE POWDER PLANT

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Jan. 11.—General Crozier today in a statement said that work would begin at once on the new powder plant near Nashville, Tenn. This plant will be an enormous undertaking. It will cost about \$60,000,000 and employ over 15,000 men. The General said that every effort would be made to have the plant in operation making powder for the troops that will be across the water fighting for democracy on record time.

USING WOOD PULP AS SUBSTITUTE

(By Associated Press)

Stockholm, Jan. 11.—Sweden's textile factories facing partial, or complete stoppage as a result of the impossibility of securing wool, cotton and jute are turning their attention to the manufacturing of textiles from woodpulp. Other branches of the textile industry are also hopeful of saving in substitution by manufacturing paper substitutes as Germany has done. The Krupp workmen in Germany wear overalls of paper, and one of the largest machine shops in Düsseldorf uses only paper belts for its engines. Finer products including all sorts of underwear are made from the wood pulp in Germany and a mixture of as much as forty or even fifty per cent can be used in making fabrics for outer clothing.

SHOWS GUN— IS ARRESTED

Archibald McLarn, from somewhere on the Maine coast, and of the lobster boat in port, evidently was of the opinion that the war zone starts in Portsmouth. He showed signs of preparedness, exhibiting a revolver to an admiring audience.

What his intentions were he was unable to state as he had had one fight with the demon rum. Officer McCaffrey took charge of the artillery and McLarn about 7.30 last evening and escorted him to the police station from Water street.

The Portsmouth Herald publishes the local news when it is news.

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SAY BAKER CREATED WRONG IMPRESSION

Washington, Jan. 11.—Secretary of War Baker today sat under the fire of Senate military probers criticizing him for his "rosy review" of the supplies situation submitted yesterday.

Senators Wadsworth, Chamberlain, McKellar and Weeks joined in assaults upon Baker's declaration that the initial rush needs of the army have been fully met.

"You have created the impression throughout the country that everything is rosy, conditions are fine and that there is no need for further haste," said Wadsworth.

"The facts are," he added, "that we are approaching one of the greatest crises in our history. Our task in the next eight months will be bigger than in the past eight. It is unwise, in my judgment, to create a false impression of security in the country."

In the face of insistent efforts to make him acknowledge that he had overruled the picture of preparedness, Baker, stoutly maintained his statement was correct.

"Our initial rush needs have been met," he said. "Every man in France has full equipment. There is plenty of artillery there. Production is going forward at a rapid rate."

"I don't know how you can say that in view of the lack of rifles, artillery and machine guns at cantonments," said Senator Chamberlain.

"My mind was not on the situation in this country; I was thinking of our troops abroad," said Baker.

WOMAN DRIVES BURGLAR FROM HOUSE

Lawrence, Jan. 11.—The nerve and quick wit of Mary A. Roman thwarted the daring attempt of a burglar to rob the richly furnished home of Richard A. Ward, president of the Lawrence Chamber of Commerce, last night.

Early in the evening some one called up and found out that neither Mr. or Mrs. Ward would be home overnight. After having put the children to bed, Miss Roman met the intruder coming up stairs. The burglar pointed a revolver at her head and ordered her to go back upstairs.

Miss Roman tried the telephone, but found that the wires had been cut. Catching the burglar off guard for a moment, Miss Roman hit him over the head with a heavy wooden dish, then snatched a revolver from a bureau drawer and ordered the burglar to get out.

The burglar backed down the stairs and out of the house, jumped into an automobile and sped away.

BOLSHEVIKI WILL DECLARE WAR

(By Associated Press)

The Bolsheviks today, after the Teutonic Allies has refused to meet the demand that the peace negotiation be transferred to neutral territory, in a statement said that demobilization would stop at once and that war would be declared.

The Germans and representatives from the Teutonic Allies were firm that the negotiations be at present location.

London, Jan. 11.—Confirming previous reports that the Bolsheviks are preparing to re-establish the fighting power of the army against a possible final break in the negotiations with the central powers, the Petrograd correspondent of the Daily News says that they are not attempting to re-annate the old, worn-out army, but to create a new and much smaller one.

Concerning this new army, Foreign Minister Trotsky is reported to have said:

"It will wage not war, but revolution, its front trenches will be barricaded against oppressors."

The Bolsheviks doubt if the German soldiers will advance. But if they do and take more territory, they will be no nearer an end of the war. The correspondent says that the greatest difficulties of the Bolsheviks in these preparations are transport and supply of which the former is the less hopeful question. Ensign Krilenko, the Bolshevik commander-in-chief, is reported to be organizing a volunteer army and has ordered all officers to return to the posts they held before the Bolshevik revolution.

In reference to the civil wars in different parts of Russia, the correspondent says they are not wars by one part of Russia against another, but attempts to spread class warfare in those parts where the proletariat has not obtained the upper hand.

The Daily News correspondent says that the anti-Bolshevik newspapers daily record Bolshevik defeats, but declares it is curious that after each defeat the Bolsheviks advanced instead of retreat. The map, he says, shows that each reported defeat takes them further into the enemy country. He mentions some of these advances and adds that they now control the Black sea fleet.

The Petrograd correspondent of the Times says that enormous sums have

been taken from the state bank by forged checks since the bank has been in the possession of the Bolsheviks. Three million rubles were withdrawn through one spurious check.

STUCK BY UNTIL SHIP WENT DOWN

Washington, Jan. 11.—Secretary Daniels made public today a summary of the official report of Lt. Commander David W. Bagley on the sinking by a German submarine of the American destroyer Jacob Jones on Dec. 6, when two officers and 64 men lost their lives. Commander Bagley praised the behavior of officers and men, and especially commends by name 10 of them.

The submarine, the report says, was not sighted until 15 minutes after the destroyer had gone down. But the torpedo was sighted half a mile from the ship and Lt. S. F. Kalk, officer of the deck, who afterwards died from exposure, immediately ordered a maneuver to avoid being struck. The torpedo, however, was too near to allow the destroyer to clear it and it struck fairly with a heavy explosion.

The ship quickly settled by the stern and the engine room was soon flooded. The radio antenna and mainmast were carried away.

Most of the men not killed by the explosion got clear of the ship and reached rafts or wreckage.

Eight minutes after the torpedo struck at 4:21 p. m., the Jones sank stern first. Efforts were made to collect the survivors in a motor dory, and then the nearest land was sought to obtain aid for the remaining survivors on the rafts. After 23 hours the dory sighted a patrol vessel, and the commander of the patrol station reported to Commander Bagley that the other survivors all had been rescued.

Seaman Philip J. Burger of Lansingburgh, N. Y., is highly praised in the report for his efforts to clear the vessel's motor sailer, which would have saved 20 or 30 lives. He stuck to the job until drawn under water with the boat, being rescued when he came to the surface.

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SKATING ON BOSTON HARBOR

Boston, Jan. 12.—For the third time in 30 years and the first time since 1904, the students of the Farm and Trades school on Thorton Island, Boston harbor, are crossing the bay to the mainland on ice. Unless an unexpected thaw or a sudden shift in the wind materializes, the going will continue good for several days.

Superintendent Bailey and his "boys" have marked a path or trail on the ice to the public landing at City Point. It is "blazed" by spruce boughs stuck in the holes chopped in the eight inch ice. The continuous cold weather has frozen these boughs solidly into the ice so that in the event of a blinding snowstorm or a thick fog persons crossing between the island and the mainland would find it comparatively easy to follow the trail.

When the channel was broken into Dorechester Bay for coal steamers and barges, the Farm and Trades school folk were not pleased, but not for long. Two spruce trees of respective size were sunk into holes chopped into the ice, and when these became solidly frozen they made ideal moorings for a flat bottomed ferryboat used at the island.

So that now it is practicable to fasten on skates at Thompson's Island or City Point, skate out to the channel, haul the ferry over, for the boat is equipped with ropes both stern and bow, climb into the boat and either pull or row to the other side, then continue skating to shore.

On windy days the boys have enjoyed spreading their coats and sailing before the wind, or using skis sails. Women visitors to the school have been treated to the novelty of sitting on a sled and either being pushed or hauled to land.

The little steamer of the school has also proved to be of inestimable value in helping open Dorechester Bay for navigation.

Read The Herald.

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You needn't coax "sick children" to take this harmless "fruit laxative"; they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

MITCHEL IS APPOINTED A MAJOR

New York, Jan. 12.—John Purroy Mitchel who retired January 1 as the Mayor of New York Friday was appointed a major in the aviation corps of the United States army.

Mr. Mitchel announced tonight that he would report at once for training a tone of the United States aviation camps.

He said that immediately after the recent majority election he sought service with the infantry in France, but that the rules of the war department made it impossible for him to obtain a commission in the infantry at that time.

He then decided to accept the commission offered by Major General Snider, chief signal officer of the army. Mr. Mitchel is a graduate of the first Plattsburg training camp.

NORTH CHURCH WORSHIP IN ITS CHAPEL.

On Sunday, January 13, the North Church will hold the morning and evening services in the chapel on Middle street.

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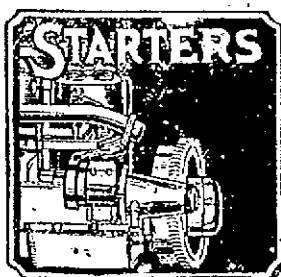
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ENGLISHMAN APPEALS TO U. S. WORKMEN

London, Jan. 11.—The interests of the workmen of America as well as of England are bound up in beating the German army; it cannot be done except by willing co-operation of men in the workshops with the men in the field.

Expressing his most emphatic approval of President Wilson's outline of war aims, the Rt. Hon. G. N. Barnes, M. P. member of the British war cabinet, sent this word to the American workmen today.

"This year will be the testing time for the fighters for freedom," Barnes declared. "Germany's U-boats will make their last great effort before America gets in. Germany's armies may attack the French, the British or the Italians in great force within the next three or four months.

"Effective American help must then be in the field. I hope every one in the working ranks of the United States will see that so far as lies in their power they will contribute what help being there in time.

"I hope President Wilson's speech will stimulate the men in the workshops to do their part by working during the next few months with all their mind and all their strength, so that militarism may be destroyed. It cannot be done except by willing co-operation of the men in the workshops with the men in the field—and this although the latter will have, after all to carry the heaviest part of the burden.

"We are in this war together—the free peoples of the west and the free peoples of Europe. We on this side are carrying a great burden and we want help speedily and effectively.

"My message to the industrial workers of the United States would be that they should carry on the building of ships and the equipping of armies by which these armies may be made effective in Europe."

SCHOONERS ICE BOUND

(By Associated Press)
Woods Hole, Mass., Jan. 11.—Four schooners ice bound since Dec. 30th, are located in Buzzard's Bay about four miles off shore, near an island. The crews are suffering from lack of coal and food and ice breaking steamers do not release them soon the crews will be in a grave position.

The coast patrol visited the schooners today and brought back Alfred Hines from the schooner Chas. E. Jeffers, who was extremely ill.

The coast guard dragged Hines on an improvised sled a distance of four miles. Hines said that he has been across the Atlantic seven times since the war started, and has been tormented twice, but the experience in Buzzard's Bay is the worst he ever had in his life.

Hines was taken to the Chelsea hospital where he was made comfortable.

"I will make you fishers of men," said Hines. "I will make you fishers of men."

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At the evening service at half past seven o'clock the third address on "The Development of Religious Liberty" will be given, illustrated by the stereopticon.
Sunday school at the noon hour.
Young People's meeting at half past six o'clock.
The midwinter Parish Reception will be held in the chapel on Wednesday evening from 7.30 to 10 o'clock.

Court Street Christian Church
Rev. Percy Warren Caswell pastor.
Morning worship with sermon by the pastor at 10.30. The subject of sermon, "The Important Decision."
Bible school session at 12 o'clock.
The Men's Class meets at same hour.
Evening worship with preaching by the pastor at 7.30. A pleasant, helpful service.
The Lyric Male Quartette will sing at both services. The services will be held in the vestry.
The monthly meeting of the Four Leaf Society will be held at the home of Mrs. May Belle Dame, Greenland Road, Tuesday evening. The members will take the Plains car leaving the Center at 7.05 p. m. A large attendance of members is desired.
Mid week prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Visitors welcome. All are invited to the services of this church. All seats are free.

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Morning service at 10.30 with sermon by the pastor.
Owing to the coal situation the chapel is closed.
Sunday school will be held in the church at noon. The Men's Class meeting with the school, the Primary Department in the annex.
Evening service at 7.30. Hearty song service followed by address by the pastor upon "Near Neighbors."
Monday, Guild room open to members 7.30 p. m.
Tuesday Y. P. S. C. E. in the Guild room 7.45 p. m.
Wednesday, Woman's Missionary Society meets with Mrs. C. M. Akerman, 909 State street at 8.00. Boy Scouts, Junior patrols in the Guild room at 7.00.
Thursday, Girl's Guild meets in the Guild room at 7.15 p. m.
Friday prayer meeting in the Guild room at 7.45 p. m. All welcome.

Advent Christian Church
Hanover St.
Irving F. Barnes, pastor.
10.30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor. Subject, "The Man who Believed God that the world was coming to an end, or the Faith of Noah an Example to all who believe in an impending Judgment Day."
12 m. Sunday school.
5.45 p. m. Junior Loyal Workers.
7.15 p. m. An inspiring song service, full of life and variety; special music. A short straight talk to the unsaved. Subject, "The Bankrupt Sinner."
Prayer meeting Tuesday and Friday 7.30 p. m.

Pearl Street People's Baptist Church
Rev. John L. Davis, Minister.
11 a. m. Sermon by pastor Davis. Subject, "The Man who Believed God that the world was coming to an end, or the Faith of Noah an Example to all who believe in an impending Judgment Day."

Christ Church—The Peace Church
First Sunday after the Epiphany.
Services: Holy Eucharist 7.30 a. m. Procession, Holy Eucharist and Sermon 10.30 a. m. Church school and Bible Classes 12 m. Festal Evensong 4 p. m. Service and Lecture 7.30 p. m. Music at 10.30 a. m.
Processional, No. 62, "From the Eastern Mountains" Mann
Introit, "All they from Sheba Shall Come" Redhead
Credo Blair
Offertory, "Now is Come Salvation and Strength" Harris
Sanctus, Benedictus, Agnus Dei Harris
Processional, No. 62, "Rejoice, ye pure in heart" Messiter
Music at 4 p. m.
Processional, No. 62, "From the Eastern Mountains" Mann
Proper Psalter Gregorian
Antiphon, "All They from Sheba Shall Come" Redhead
Magnificat Bennett
Gymn. No. 67, "Songs of Thankfulness and Praise" Sliper
Offertory, Anthem, "Now is Come Salvation and Strength" Harris
Processional, No. 520, "Rejoice ye pure in heart" Messiter
Attention is called to the change in the hours of service. There will be festal evensong at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and service and lecture at 7.30 o'clock in the evening.

First Methodist Episcopal Church
Miller Avenue.
Rev. F. J. Scott, pastor.
An earnest, homelike church with a welcome in Christ's name. Soldiers and sailors in uniform cordially welcomed.
10.30 a. m. Public worship conducted by the pastor.
12 m. Sunday school.
7.30 p. m. Evening worship. A Billy Sunday Gospel Team of four business men of Boston and vicinity, one of whom is Ex-Mayor Thurston of Cambridge, will speak. Mr. Thurston was converted during the Billy Sunday campaign in Boston. These men have spoken in many places to the great delight and profit of the congregations.
Friday 7.30 p. m. Regular week-night religious service. All are cordially invited.

Universalist Church
Dr. Dillingham pastor.
Services: Sunday 10.30 a. m. Sermon by pastor. Subject "Eucharist." Sunday school 12 noon.
The Y. P. C. U. will meet at 6.30.

UNITARIAN CHURCH.
On account of the coal situation services will be held in the chapel on Court street until further notice.
Morning service at 10.30; sermon by Rev. Alfred Gooding; Sunday school in the chapel at 12 o'clock; the choir will sing the following music: "Christian, the morn breaks sweetly o'er us" (Shelley); "Father, source of every blessing" (Mozart); "Saviour, when night invokes the stars" (Shelley).

EIGHT HURT IN JITNEY BUS CRASH
Lynn, Jan. 12.—Eight of the sixteen occupants of a jitney bus were injured, none seriously, in a collision with an electric car here Friday. The passengers both men and women, were on their way to work in local factories.

Most disfiguring skin eruptions, scrofula, pimples, rashes, etc., are due to impure blood. Burdock Blood Purifiers as a cleansing blood tonic, is well recommended. \$1.25 at all grocers.

LOCAL ELECTRIC RAILWAY TIME CHANGE

Acting under advice of the United States Post Administrator to conserve the coal supply, the Portsmouth Electric Railway for the present will have to make changes in running time. We realize that to a few people considerable inconvenience will result from the proposed changes, but trust that in view of the very serious situation which confronts us as well as the public at large during the winter season they may be accepted cheerfully.

PORTSMOUTH ELECTRIC RY.
Change in schedule to take effect Monday, Jan. 14, 1918.

Cars Leave Portsmouth
For Cable Road, 5.30 a. m., returning leave Cable Road 6.00 a. m.
For Lang's Corner, 5.50 a. m., returning leave Lang's Corner, 6.10 a. m. Arrive Market Square, 6.33 a. m.
For North Hampton, 6.30, 7.00, 8.05 a. m.; 4.05 p. m.
Cars leave Portsmouth at 7.00, 8.05 a. m. and 2.05 p. m., connect for Hampton Beach.
Cars leave Portsmouth at—
9.05 a. m. for Cable Road only.
10.05 a. m. for Foyle's only.
11.05 a. m. for Cable Road.
12.05 p. m. for Cable Road.
1.05 p. m. for Cable Road.
2.05 p. m. connect for Hampton Beach.
4.05 p. m. for North Hampton.
5.05 p. m. for Cable Road only.
5.55 p. m. for Cable Road only.
7.05 p. m. for Cable Road only.
8.05 p. m. for Cable Road only.
9.05 p. m. for Cable Road only.
10.05 p. m. for Cable Road only.
Cars leave Cable Road 34 minutes past the hour.
Car leaves Little Bore Head at 5.10 p. m. Saturdays only.
Car leaves Portsmouth for North Hampton, 10.05 p. m. Saturdays only.
Cars will also wait for all late trolley.

Sundays—Cars connect for Hampton Beach 9.05 a. m. and 2.05 p. m.
Plains Loop—Middle Street.
Cars leave corner Bartlett and Lexington streets, 5.10 a. m., around Plains to Market Square, arrive 6.30 a. m.
Leave Market Square, 6.55 a. m., via Lexington street, around Plains to Market Square.
Leave Market Square, 7.05 a. m. 7.35, 8.05 a. m., then half hourly via Middle street to stand pipe hill and returning via Middle street, leaving stand pipe at 7.10, 7.40, 8.10 a. m. and then half hourly.
Regular Saturday night time on the Plains Loop—two cars meet at Plains siding at 6.15, 6.45 p. m. and then half hourly until 11.05 p. m.

Christian Shore Car
Leave Car Barn 5.15 a. m. around Christian Shore to Market Square.
Leave Market Square 6.35 a. m. via Market street.
Leave Market Square via Lexington street to Rutland street, 7.05, 7.35, 8.05 a. m., then half hourly. Leave Rutland street, 7.12, 7.42, 8.12, then half hourly, going to corner of Bennett street and Maplewood avenue, leaving there at 7.20, 7.50, 8.20 a. m., then half hourly, returning to Market Square, arriving on the hour and half hour.
Regular Saturday night time via Market street, half hourly.

POWDER PLANT BLOWN UP

(By Associated Press)
Fort Smith, Ark., Jan. 11.—The powder and dynamite plant at Patterson, Okla., was blown up at noon Thursday. 13 miles east of McAlester, and according to meagre messages there has been a heavy loss of life.

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WANTED

WANTED—Housekeeper. In family of three adults; state wages expected. Address "G," this office. ho 111, 11

WANTED—Competent stenographer with clerical experience. Please make application by letter, Rockingham Co. Light and Power Co., Pleasant St., this office. ho 111, 11

WANTED—A woman to do scrubbing; apply at once to Portsmouth hospital. ho 110, 11

WANTED—Warm, furnished room, for light housekeeping, near Market Square, by middle-aged lady, employed during day. Address W. T. C., this office. ho 110, 11

WANTED—To lease small furnished house in Portsmouth or Kittery for several months. Write 32 Middle street, giving location, rate and brief description, or telephone 1293W. ho 110, 11

WANTED—By the neighborhood, a first class blacksmith to locate at Foyle's Corner in Ryer's corner, 4 roads, 2 roads on State Street, a fine location for the right man. ho 110, 11

WANTED—Pin boy, 16 years old. Hours from 8 to 11 p. m. Wages \$1 per evening. Hogan's Alley, near Elk's Home. ho 110, 11

WANTED—Four or five furnished rooms for light housekeeping, in or near Portsmouth or Kittery. Address C. H. this office. ho 110, 11

LEAVE PLO, THE ROOFER, put on those storm doors and windows. No. 1 No. School street. ho 110, 11

WANTED—To lease boarding house in or near Portsmouth. Address W. T. C., this office. ho 110, 11

WOULD LIKE POSITION as nurse and companion to a lady in her home; best of references. Address E. H. this office. ho 110, 11

WANTED—Girl to do light housework mornings. Apply to Mrs. Kurtz, 3 Richards Ave. ho 110, 11

EXPERIENCED STENOGRAPHER and typewriter desires position. Address W. L. R. this office. ho 110, 11

EXCLUSIVE Distributing Agent for Auto Tractor wanted; valuable territory allotted; leads all others in utility, economy, simplicity, durability; saves man power, horse power, money; every farmer needs and can afford one; liberal commission to responsible men or firms; \$1000 to \$3000 capital required; references absolutely necessary; write Charles H. Davis, 1183 Main street, Bridgeport, Conn. ho 110, 11

TO LET

TO LET—Furnished rooms at 21 Gates street. ho 110, 11

TO LET—Large front room suitable for two, sunny and warm. All improvements. Tel. 601-J. ho 110, 11

TO LET—Furnished front room, all conveniences. Gentleman preferred. Apply 63 1-2 Congress street. ho 110, 11

TO LET—Large airy front room with clothes closet. Call or telephone between 4 and 6 p. m. Mrs. Dawson, 112 Cass street. Tel. 12731. ho 110, 11

TO LET—Three square rooms, well heated. With kitchen privileges, also one room with kitchenette, for responsible parties. Apply Mary House, 353 Pleasant street. ho 110, 11

TO LET—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address "Y," this office. ho 110, 11

TO LET—A large, light, furnished corner room, suitable for two gentlemen. Apply The Remnant Store, 250 State Street. ho 110, 11

TO LET—Furnished room on Lincoln avenue. Gentleman preferred. Tel. 1255M. ho 110, 11

TO LET—A nice large heated front room, bath, hot and cold water, for two reliable men; few steps from the Postoffice. 3 Edwards street. ho 110, 11

ROOMS with or without board on line of trolley; can accommodate four or ten people. Phone 1033-J. ho 110, 11

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Corner lot on West street. Apply to M. E. Morrissey, 28 West street. ho 110, 11

FOR SALE—Good two-seated pump with pump and whiffletop. All in good order. For sale cheap. Inquire at this office. ho 110, 11

FOR SALE—One very good show case and wall fixtures. Apply at this office. ho 110, 11

TYPEWRITERS of all makes for sale and to rent. The Typewriter Store, 250 State St. ho 110, 11

FOR SALE—Gas range for sale, 274 Austin street, corner Union. ho 110, 11

FOR SALE

WE have a piano just returned by customer near this city, which we will sell for balance due on lease—less than half its real value. It is of standard make, mahogany upright, and will be delivered free of cost to buyer, with chair and scarf belonging to it. Address Bates-Mitchell Company, care The Herald. ho 110, 11

FOR SALE—Small dwelling, newly shingled, acre and half land, new house, with 20 hens; barn with winter supply of hay; horses and cow; fruit trees of all kinds; winter supply of wood; new well and water in the house. Apply Charles H. Miller, Dorset Lane. ho 110, 11

LOST

LOST—Boston terrier, color light brown, with white face and neck, no collar answers to the name of Midget. Reward if returned to 2 McNabb Court of 241 phone 1141W. ho 110, 11

LOST—Christmas day, nine-months old female Boston terrier, answers to name of Trix; return to Alvin B. Emery, Kittery Point, Me.; find reward. ho 110, 11

LOST—January 8th, an administration paper. Suitable reward. If finder will return same to Fred S. Foss, Newfields, N. H. ho 110, 11

LOST—A Boston Bull, one year old, bat ears, white face, white breast, white front paws. Address of 335 Miller Avenue or Collins; answers to the name of Spot. Reward if returned to the above address of telephone 10991. ho 110, 11

FOUND

FOUND—A brown dog, owner, may have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement. Mrs. C. W. Day, 225 State street. ho 110, 11

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Morning and Evening Service in the Chapel on Middle Street.

7.30 P. M. Service with the Stereopticon.

Subject—"Pilgrims in the Wilderness."

Third in the series on "The Development of Religious Liberty"

**NOTES FROM
THE NEWINGTON
SHIP PLANT**

R. L. Doring, former superintendent, is now in New York, and as announced in these columns will take charge of the construction of a big shell loading plant.

All out of door work was suspended today on account of the rain.

Supt. of Hulls H. N. Douglas and his assistant, Mr. Greene, are in Bath, Me., for the week-end.

Plans for the proper housing of the workmen are under way.

Workmen from distant parts employed here have been amazed over the fact that the great Piscataqua has been open all through the terrific cold spell.

The workmen are thoroughly enjoying the out of doors work and all are rugged and healthy.

T. M. Gibbs, who was at the plant for two weeks, as assistant to Mr. Doring, is now in New York.

**NOTES FROM
FREEMAN'S PT.**

Boatswain's Mate John Renner had a force of men taking more soundings in the river on Friday opposite the plant.

The survey for the ways has been completed.

Civil Engineer George M. Thompson has returned to Wakefield for the week-end.

General Supt. W. F. Roberts is perfecting his organization.

**ENGAGEMENT
PARTY HELD**

Miss Helen P. Lougee pleasantly entertained a number of her friends Friday evening at the home of Mrs. William Craig, on State street. The table was prettily decorated with pink and white crepe paper and pink carnations. Before the lunch was served, Miss

Lougee was presented with a beautiful picture after which she announced her engagement to Frank Leo Colilton of Kittery. Games, dancing and music were enjoyed and at a late hour the guests departed wishing her every happiness in the future.

**STANDING COMMITTEES
OF CITY COUNCIL**

The standing committees for the ensuing year are as follows:

Finance—Gray, Kirkpatrick, Humphreys.

Fire Department—Gray, Raynes, Leckey.

Public Buildings and Places—Kirkpatrick, Weeks, Dickey.

Printing—Hickey, Gray, Kaula.

Public Library—Humphreys, Kaula, Kirkpatrick.

Street Lights—Weeks, Hickey, Dickey.

Accounts—Leckey, Gray, Humphreys.

Bills of Second Reading—Raynes, Kirkpatrick, Humphreys.

Claims—Weeks, Raynes, Kaula.

Election—Gray, Weeks, Hickey.

Engrossing Bills—Dickey, Leckey, Gray.

**WILL NOT SERVE
AS INSPECTOR**

Reginald C. Jones Declines the Appointment of the City Council.

Reginald C. Jones, who was elected inspector of plumbing by the city council on Thursday night, has declined to accept the position and it will be necessary for the council to make another selection at the next meeting. Charles D. Fernald is mentioned to succeed Jones.

ENGLISH NAVY OFFICER HERE.

Commander S. B. Goodall, His Majesty's Navy of England, is here on official business. He has been at the navy yard for the past three days with the local officers there. The nature of his business is not revealed and as to the length of his stay.

WOMAN WANTS WORK by the day or hour. Address 37 Court street. he 112, 1w

**POPULAR YOUNG
COUPLE WEDDED
AT NOON TODAY****Miss Pollard Becomes Bride
of Lieut. Atkins, U. S. A.**

Miss Dorothy Pollard, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Pollard of Highland avenue, one of the most popular young women of this city, and First Lieut. Harry Clifton Atkins, U. S. Reserve Army, were united in marriage at noon today at the home of the bride, 223 Highland street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. C. Dillingham, D. D., pastor of the Universalist church, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends of both groom and bride.

The bride wore a handsome gown of tulle and crepe with satin hat trimmed with net and silver. She carried a bouquet of orange blossoms, forget-me-nots, lilies of the valley and rose buds. She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Miriam Frances Pollard, who wore a pretty dress of electric blue. The groom wore a tuxedo with silver embroidery, hat of blue velvet with ostrich band to match. Her bouquet was pink rose buds. The groom's maid was Second Lieut. C. Oakley Austin, a classmate of the groom.

The wedding march was played by Miss Ellen H. Atkins, sister of the groom.

Following the ceremony a reception took place during which there was an outpouring of congratulations. The home was handsomely decorated with southern smilax, ophelia roses, daisies and bachelor buttons, the artistic and handiwork of Miss Helen Pearson.

A wedding repast was served by Caterer Haywood Burton.

The wedding gifts were numerous and comprised much choice silverware. Following a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Atkins will reside temporarily at Ayer, Mass., where the groom is stationed at Camp Devens.

The groom is a native of Franklin, N. H., and a graduate of the Second Pittsburg Training Camp and a very popular officer with the men of the National Army at Camp Devens. The bride enjoys the warm friendship of a score of young people in this city who join in wishing them both all the joys and happiness of a married life.

Guests from Franklin, Boston, Exeter, Ayer, Bedford and Dover were among those present.

**QUARTERMAN
AND LEADINGMEN
ELECT OFFICERS**

A meeting of the Quartermen and Leadingmen's association was held last evening in the banquet hall of I. O. O. F. hall on Congress street at which meeting the nomination and the election of officers for the ensuing year took place.

Alfred J. McCourt, Jr., quartermen shipfitter, was elected president of the association.

Herman Chandler, quartermen machinist, was elected vice president.

John Foye, leadingman pattern-maker, was elected secretary.

Leslie F. Williams, quartermen electrician, was elected treasurer.

The by-law committee consisting of the following members was appointed to revise the by-laws: Thomas Ruxton, John Shughnessy and Fred Bunker.

Remarks as to the work of the association were made by the retiring president, Charles M. Sheppard and Frank Getchell, quartermen boat-builder and others.

At the close of the meeting the members sat down to a repast provided by Caterer Merrifield.

The association is a live one and is in the interest of general improvement of trade conditions and benefits.

**SURPRISE PARTY
BY YOUNG PEOPLE**

One of the most enjoyable parties of the season was that which occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William Wetherell, Myrtle avenue, on Thursday evening, the occasion being a surprise tendered Mr. George Cove by about thirty of his young friends.

It was a complete surprise and after greetings were extended by all Miss Edna Thompson, in a gracious manner presented Mr. Cove, in behalf of those present, with a very handsome pair of solid gold engraved cuff links. George was taken completely unaware, but after a few minutes managed to thank the donors for their kindness, after which games, music and a general good time served to finish the remainder of the evening, the songs by Mr. and Mrs. James Ireland and Miss Gertrude Tilton being especially enjoyed.

A tempting repast of assorted cake, fancy cookies, harlequin ice cream, candies, etc., was served by Mrs. Wetherell, assisted by her daughters, Mrs. William Tuttle, and Mrs. Noble Beale, to which all did ample justice.

At a late hour those present took their departure after having enjoyed a most pleasant evening, and all joined in wishing George many more such

happy occasions. Also one and all joined in thanking Mr. and Mrs. Wetherell for their tireless efforts in making the evening such a memorable one.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. William Wetherell, Misses Helen Beale, Mrs. William Tuttle, Misses Edna Thompson, Hazel Barber, Esther Ramsdell, Marguerite Herborn, Gertrude Tilton, Dorothy Fisher, Gertrude Beale, Margaret Mates, Mr. and Mrs. William Miles, Sgt. and Mrs. James C. Ireland, Messrs. George Cove, Oscar Cove, Chester Clough, Earl Pearson, Warren Getchell, Ralph Bridle, Fred Bridle, Joseph May, U. S. N., Lewis Ogletree, U. S. N., and last but not least, Arieta Beale, Barbara and June Tuttle.

LOCAL DASHES

Some weather.

It was a tough night for the police.

Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch, Tel. 123.

A schooner has arrived with coal for the Gas Company.

Reckless waite will tell heavily later on. It is time to save.

Rummage sale, Universalist vestry, Tuesday, Jan. 15, 9.30 a. m.

How many citizens in Portsmouth have more coal than they need?

How could we get along without the trolley cars? And how little do we appreciate them.

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The rain coming as it did before the roofs were cleared of snow did a great deal of damage.

The steamer Shetucket is being fitted up in a thorough manner for the navy yard service.

Upholsterers of antique and modern furniture, hair mattresses renovated. Margeson Bros. Tel. 679.

A few days like this and Portsmouth and all New England will be relieved from the coal famine.

Chevrolet, 4 and 8 cyl. cars; Velle cars; Koehler, 3-cyl. trucks, autos to rent. C. E. Woods, Phone 472. h/11f

Attorney Arthur B. Sewall, since his experience this noon in the mail car accident, should be qualified for the aviation corps.

Captain Henry Marden of the steamer Alice Howard visited the yard on Thursday to inspect the new landings being placed in position.

Basket ball game and dance, New State Armory, Tuesday evening, Jan. 15, Co. D, 1st N. H. S. G. vs. York Bench. Admission 25 cents.

Membership in the Piscataqua Thrift Club may be obtained by the payment of a week's back installment. Three and one-half per cent interest paid on Thrift accounts. Piscataqua Savings Bank, First National Bank Building.

The Herald is first—a newspaper. It is the best newspaper ever published in Portsmouth in the opinion of every man, woman and child. It leads in local and foreign news and will continue to do so.

Monday night, the New York novelty dance at Freeman's hall. Balcony opens 7.30. Dancing begins at 8 o'clock. Big New York feature at 9 sharp. Dancing until 1 a. m. All novelties free.

**RESIGNS AFTER 25
YEARS OF SERVICE**

Is An Expert Mechanic and Never Served at Any Trade.

Bernard Linchey, master mechanic for the Consolidation Coal Company, resigned his position today after 25 years of most faithful service on the docks of the North End. During the quarter of a century he has been employed by three firms, Gray and Prime, J. A. and A. W. Walker, and the Consolidation Company. He knew every branch of the work outside of the office building and was known as the handy man and all around mechanic. He never served an apprenticeship at any single trade but was master of several and was a most valuable man for the several firms who employed him.

POLICE COURT

Archibald McLaren of somewhere in Maine, who made himself conspicuous with a revolver on Water street on Friday night, was heard in police court today and pleaded guilty to the charge of carrying concealed weapons and paid a fine of \$25 and costs of \$5.48.

BOSTON BUSINESSMEN TO SPEAK

Four businessmen of Boston, including Ex-Mayor Thurston of Somersworth, will speak at the Miller Avenue Methodist Episcopal church Sunday evening.

KARL RICKER'S ORCHESTRA.

The next big dancing attraction to be promoted by Bill Dow is booked for Freeman's hall, Tuesday evening, Jan. 22nd, when the famous Karl Ricker's City Orchestra of Lynn, Mass., 10 pieces, will be the attraction. 1th

WANTED—Young woman with 8 months old baby would like position as housekeeper or other work. Address D. M. care this office. he 112, 1w

**SEARCHING
RECORDS OF
FREEMAN'S PT.**

Attorney W. F. Morse of Boston is searching the records in Exeter and this city in the interest of the Atlantic Corporation. This is preparatory to the transfer of the Freeman's Point plant to the corporation. He finished his work here on Friday and returned to Boston. He has been here three days on the work.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the many friends, neighbors and the members of Osgood Lodge, I. O. O. F., for the many kindnesses during the illness and death of husband and father. To those who sent sympathy in the shape of floral offerings we wish to give thanks.

MRS. JOSEPH F. HETT
AND CHILDREN.

DENBY-AVERILL

A very quiet wedding took place last Sunday afternoon in Portsmouth, N. H., when Miss Annie Averill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett J. Averill and Edwin Denby were united in marriage at the home of the bride's aunt, Sanford Tribune.

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**HALF YEARLY
SHOE CLEARANCE**

For the next few days you will forget that you ever heard talk of high prices on shoes. Our semi-annual clearance time has arrived, and with it reductions upon high grade shoes for women and children. Stock-taking must find many of our best lines substantially reduced in quantity and many odd lots eliminated—and low prices will surely accomplish this. Now is the time to buy the always necessary extra pair.



UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY
ORGANIZED 1824

STATEMENT OF CONDITION
DECEMBER 31, 1917.

Resources.

Loans and Other Securities.....	\$1,392,181.19
United States Bonds.....	688,750.00
Banking House and Fixtures.....	36,500.00
Cash, due from Banks, and U. S. Treasurer.....	358,179.97
	\$2,475,611.16

Liabilities.

Capital.....	\$150,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits.....	106,314.53
Circulation.....	150,000.00
Redeemable (Federal Reserve Bank).....	227,933.74
Deposits.....	1,841,362.89
	\$2,475,611.16

FIRST
NATIONAL
BANK
PORTSMOUTH, N.H.

**To Liberty Bond
Buyers****PATRIOTS:—**

You are reminded that the last partial payment on the Second Liberty Loan Bonds is 40 per cent and is due at the place where you bought your Bonds in time for its transmission to the Federal Reserve Banks in Boston to arrive there Jan. 15. Please be prompt with your payment, anticipating the date as much as possible.

WARNING: Do not exchange your Liberty Bonds for merchandise. The patriotic support you rendered the Government should not be withdrawn now. Bonds thus exchanged depress the market price and tend to prevent the sale of the Third Liberty Loan at the same rate of interest.

KEEP AWAY FROM LOAN SHARKS: The Government has borrowed money from you and will repay it all with interest. You cannot lose if you keep your Bonds. If you must raise money on them, don't go to a professional money lender, but go to your employer or to a bank or a bond dealer.

AND NOW, PATRIOTS: Get ready for the Third Liberty Loan. Prepare to double your subscription and save so you can do so. Let us show our enemies that we mean to win this war and are ready to go to the limit if necessary.

Liberty Loan Committee of New England.

**Mid-Winter
Sales****THE D. F. BORTHWICK STORE**

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Stamped Linens and Threads